

850 Dead, Millions Homeless In Flooded U.K.—Low Countries

Chiang Releases Forces To Fight Reds

Cancels Truman Fleet Order, Repudiates FDR-Stalin Deals
By LYLE C. WILSON
WASHINGTON (UP)—President Eisenhower today announced the U.S. fleet will "no longer shield Communist China" from armed nationalist invasion and called for repudiation of secret Roosevelt-Stalin agreements to the state for a "new, positive foreign policy."

His first State of the Union message, he also charted a "middle way" in domestic policy, proposing tax cuts at the "best possible" moment but until government spending sharply reduced and a balanced budget is in sight.

In another implied slap at his Democratic predecessor, Mr. Eisenhower said the United States has "incontestable evidence that Soviet Russia possesses atomic weapons," regardless of Mr. Truman's recently voiced doubts on the matter which the U.S. 7th fleet



39 LOST IN PLANE OVER ATLANTIC

Missing Aircraft Now Total Five
By the CANADIAN PRESS
Five aircraft with 62 persons aboard were being hunted today from bases on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts. One man is known dead in another plane crash and five others are presumed to have been drowned.

Thirty-nine persons were aboard Skyways of London four-engine York reported early today to be down in the icy North Atlantic. Winds of almost 75 miles an hour churned the ocean in the search area.

An RCAF Lancaster bomber and its nine-man crew were missing in the rocky wilderness of Labrador. Two engines failed as the bomber searched Sunday for a U.S. civilian plane and its two occupants, missing four days.

4 Million Hard Hit On Continent

AMSTERDAM (AP)—The official Dutch radio said today that it had received unconfirmed reports of the death of 70 persons at Stettendam, in south Holland, which would boost the death toll in Holland's flood disaster to 464.

The death toll mounted rapidly as the stricken little countries mustered their resources to meet mounting dangers of disease and starvation. Search teams still were unable to contact many flooded areas.

Authorities estimated that areas populated by 4,000,000 Dutch and Belgians were flooded. Both countries proclaimed a state of emergency.

The Dutch weather bureau warned that high winds today would continue to threaten the broken dikes.

Breaching Holland's historic dikes in countless places, the floodwaters poured inland as much as 40 miles at some points. Hardest hit were the provinces of Zeeland and Northern Brabant in southern Holland. The Frisian Isle of Texel and the Island of Vlieland, at the mouth of the West Scheldt.

FLOOD SIDELIGHTS

LONDON (AP)—Sidelights on Britain's devastating weekend flood and storm:

While a great army of troops and civilians rushed by land, sea, and air to snatch survivors from possible death in new tides, the Queen and Prime Minister Churchill acted quickly on behalf of the stricken country.

The Queen toured the stricken Norfolk area by car, talking to pitiful groups of survivors and offering her sympathy and condolence.

Churchill called an emergency cabinet meeting and ordered his government to mobilize every means for rescue and rehabilitation.

Scores of bodies, still uncounted, floated among vast seas of debris along Britain's battered east coast. The disaster almost rivalled the evacuation of Dunkerque and the blitz.

Hospitals at King's Lynn and Tisbury were partially flooded and isolated but no new loss of life was reported there.

SANDRINGHAM—500 acres of wheat belonging to the Queen was under water on the royal country estate.

LOWESTOFT, Suffolk—A policeman showed a boat up a church aisle to rescue 40 children from the chancel steps.

KING'S LYNN, Norfolk—In flooded St. Nicholas church, a church warden caught two fish near the pulpit.

HUNSTANTON, Norfolk—A bungalow with eight American airmen and their families clinging to the roof was picked up by the tide and drifted away. All were rescued.

CANVEY ISLAND—A fleet of small boats, any kind of boat, came to the rescue of 13,000 inhabitants from nearby Southend. London newspapers, remembering another evacuation, called it "a Dunkirk fleet."

FELIXSTOWE, Suffolk—Police borrowed a small boat from the "tunnel of love" at a nearby amusement park to help with rescue.

WHITSTABLE, Kent—An elderly couple standing in their kitchen sink had only their chins above water when rescuers reached them.

BEVERLEY BROOK—A 70-year-old man had slept in an old air-raid shelter for 10 years because it was quieter there than in his home. He was trapped in the shelter and drowned.

Bodies Still Float Uncounted in Debris

LONDON (CP)—The count of dead in flood-ravaged Britain, The Netherlands and Belgium passed the total of 850 today with more than 1,000,000 homeless in the wake of terrifying hurricanes.

The Netherlands was the worst hit, with the death toll at 464. It was the worst flood in The Netherlands since the 15th century.

In Britain, 395 were counted dead. Rescue workers feared the toll may mount to 1,000. Troops and volunteers battled new tides to save hundreds still marooned.

Ten persons died by flood in tiny Canvey in the Thames estuary, rescue officials said. 500 persons still were unlocated and bodies floated on the floodwaters.

More than 1,000,000 terror-stricken persons were homeless or threatened by the raging seas which continued to pound inland in many flooded areas.

Holland—hardest hit of all—mustered its resources to rescue hundreds still stranded and to hold back the giant waves which swept as far as 40 miles inland. Dozens of Dutch communities were cut off or flooded out as the ancient dikes crumbled before the fury of the seas.

The mounting toll on land was added to the 132 persons drowned in the hurricane sinking of the ferry Princess Victoria off Northern Ireland Saturday, the disappearance of a trawler with 15 men off the Hebrides Sunday, and the sinking of another trawler off Belgium with loss of 10 lives.

In England, particularly, grim-faced officials feared that many more residents along the eastern coast had been swept out to sea.

The money cost of the week-end disaster—one of the worst in Europe's peacetime history—ran into uncounted millions of dollars.

Extend Reciprocal Trade Act

is major legislative proposals included:

Extend the tariff-cutting Reciprocal Trade Act with due regard for domestic industries, agriculture and labor.

Grant Hawaii statehood in order to participate in the 1954 congressional elections.

Corrective amendment of Taft-Hartley Act for which Labor Department will have recommendations.

Amend the McCarran-Walton Immigration Act to remove discrimination and incentives.

Extend to additional millions of persons the coverage of the Old Age and Survivors Insurance (Social Security Act).

Will Recognize No Secret Pacts

Mr. Eisenhower said he would Congress "at a later date" pass a resolution "making it clear that this government recognizes no kind of commitment, tacit or secret, understanding of the past with foreign governments which permits the enslavement of any people," did not elaborate.

Before announcing his dramatic decision to unleash General Chiang Kai-shek's nationalist troops on Formosa for ever harassing raids they conducted against the Chinese mainland, Mr. Eisenhower related his earlier pledge to aid Republic of Korea to assume a larger share of the Korean fighting.

The President said direct wage-price controls have been indicated—and administration sources confirmed—the U.S. fleet will continue to protect Formosa from Communist invasion from the mainland. But the "neutrality pact" which Mr. Truman ordered and a half year ago will longer serve to bottle up the nationalist army on its island.

Mr. Eisenhower spelled out reasons for changing instructions to the Seventh Fleet, at the 1950 orders were issued, Chinese Communists had backed United Nations forces in Korea and Red China had repudiated the Soviet Union in re-

Chiang Freed

President Eisenhower's new orders to the 7th Fleet, announced to Congress today, would allow Chinese nationalists under Gen. Chiang Kai-shek (above) to launch commando-type raids across Formosa Strait to mainland.

Previously, U.S. Fleet had played neutralizing role in Formosa waters.

BULLETINS

Ont. Woman Shot

STRATFORD, Ont. (CP)—A young woman was shot to death today on a busy downtown street. Police shortly afterwards questioned a paratrooper in connection with the shooting but did not release his name.

The victim is reported to be Marilyn Satchell, about 17, an 11th grade student at Stratford collegiate.

To Jail or Russia

NEW YORK (AP)—Thirteen convicted U.S. Communist leaders today were offered a choice, either go to Russia or to jail, but defense counsel promptly rejected the go-to-Russia alternative.

Judge Edward Dimock put forward his unusual "probation plan" as the Red Leaders were called into court for sentencing.

Seek Milk Extension

PORT ALBERNI, B.C. (CP)—Port Alberni and district farmers and distributors are applying for extension of milk board controls to cover this area, it was reported today.

The extension is asked to prevent surplus Fraser Valley milk from flooding the market.

Safecrackers Start Fire, Take \$10,000

VANCOUVER (CP)—Safecrackers escaped with \$10,000 early today from an Arbutus Street super-market.

A big safe was carted away after a terrific explosion blew a hole in a second-story office, plunging the strongbox to the main floor of the store.

The charge of explosive not only blew a hole in the floor, but started a fire in a wash-room into which the safe fell, reported owner Dave MacFarlane.

\$500,000 Fire

COLLINGWOOD, Ont. (UP)—Fire that burst out of control after half the firefighters knocked off for coffee ripped through a downtown business block in this Georgian Bay ship-building centre and caused damage estimated today at \$500,000.

Four stores and two apartments above one of them, were destroyed.

Nation Watches as Outnumbered Secreds Prepare to Face House

By GORDON FORBES
Times Legislative Reporter
The nation's political spotlight today focussed on British Columbia as the world's second Social Credit government, outnumbered by its opposition, prepared to face the Legislature for the first time.

The 23rd Legislative Assembly opens at 3 p.m. Tuesday with delivery of the traditional Speech from the Throne by Lieut.-Gov. Clarence Wallace.

The new government's policies will be watched closely by political observers. They will be watching to see if any real Secred policies, reminiscent of 1935 in Alberta when the party

first came to power, are instituted, or if the fledgling government will follow traditional Tory principles because of the large number of ex-Tories within its ranks.

The Throne Speech, however, will not reveal all the government's plans. It will give a general outline of the government's course of action during the session, but details of the program will not be known until legislation is presented to the House.

All indications are that there will be no major changes in hospital insurance, but this subject will undoubtedly provoke some hot clashes in the House.

A new tax on the profits of logging operators and an increase in the same tax on primary mining operations is reportedly under consideration.

Government policy will be revealed on extension of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway from Squamish to Vancouver, and construction of a road from Vancouver to Squamish via the Capilano Valley.

The government, it is understood, plans to combat the attacks by presenting a sound financial report on the state of hospital insurance under Secred administration.

One of the biggest public works program in the province's history is reportedly being planned, one which will be paid for without adding to the provincial debt. How this can be done is causing extreme interest.

The government will introduce a new school taxation formula, aimed at quieting the long-standing complaint that the municipalities are carrying too much of the education load.

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Times Launches Fund For Europe Homeless

A citizens' fund to aid evacuees of flood-hit Britain and Holland was opened today by the Victoria Daily Times. Cash contributions for the relief of widespread distress will be received at the downtown office, 1215 Broad Street, and at the Times office at 2631 Douglas.

The citizens' fund was favored by Mayor Harrison today.

The mayor felt everyone who could should try to give something to victims of "this terrific disaster." He likened the need to that of the Winnipeg flood of two years ago.

Mayor Fred Hume of Vancouver said refugees of the Holland flood could count on Vancouver for financial aid for rehabilitation. He plans to set up a fund-raising committee.

LONDON (CP)—British Columbia today sent six food parcels to flooded King's Lynn in Norfolk as a first expression of Canadian sympathy.

W. A. McAdam, agent-general for British Columbia, had received the food parcels from Prentice Bloedel of 837 West Hastings St., Vancouver, who asked that the gifts be sent by "those most in need."

In a letter sent today to the mayor of King's Lynn, which has historical links with British Columbia, McAdam said he could think of no better cause than the community of King's Lynn, "in view of the terrible disaster which has fallen upon a number of your citizens."

King's Lynn was the home of Capt. George Vancouver, British navigator who circumnavigated Vancouver Island.

Budget on Feb. 19
OTTAWA (CP)—Finance Minister Abbott announced today he will bring down the budget Thursday, Feb. 19.

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OL' VIC SAYS:

He's state o' th' union speech has thrown th' union into quite a state.

Bin readin' about them poor storm-wrecked countries. An' we thought our little rainy spell wuz a flood!

Th' House, an' 48 mouths, will be open from tomorra on.

ON THE TIMES

By ART STOTT

You gain admission to the upper brackets of the gardening aristocracy, I'm told, when you can "shoot names." "Shooting names" is the pastime of the elite. When you can walk around a garden and place the correct label on every plant, shrub, flower and tree, you're in.

It's not quite horticultural snobbishness. It's not quite that, but when name-shooters meet someone who couldn't hit a target at five feet with a garden encyclopedia, the name-shooters are inclined to sniff. Unless they're particularly gracious, they can't help wearing that "Forgive them, Father, they know not" look.

Now, in our family, we're never stuck for identification. The Times once had a garden reporter who was the same way. He could tell you what anything was. He'd lead small informal tours around his borders and explain this, that and the other. Then his brother, who worked in a bank and enjoyed no reputation at all as a horticulturist, would tag along at the end of the tour and tell visitors the right names for the different plants in this, that and the other. Then his brother, expert brother had identified incorrectly. That was a long time before Jack and Hilda took over.

Our family doesn't limit itself to gardens. Put us in the wilds and we'll do just as well. Ask one of the kids what that pink stuff is that grows on Mossy Rock at Shawnigan. Just to be sure, they'll ask you what pink stuff, and you'll say that pink stuff that grows in sort of a cloud just after the forget-me-nots have bloomed.

You Know the Stuff

"Oh," they'll say, "you mean that pink stuff that grows on Mossy Rock after the forget-me-nots have bloomed." And you'll say, "Yeah, what do you call it?" They'll answer, "Why, we call it that pink stuff that grows on Mossy Rock just after the forget-me-nots have bloomed. What do you call it?" Just born botanists, our crowd.

Point to an evergreen and ask them what it is. If it's small, they'll tell you it's a Christmas tree. If it's large, they'll explain it's an evergreen.

The word around you is so much more interesting when you can identify species that way.

I like to think that our crowd isn't snobbish about this vast store of natural lore it has acquired. Nor do the youngsters intend to rest on their laurels. They're going to dig out some more information. They'll be shooting names with the best in a short time.

How do I know? Well, it just happens that the family acquired a copy of Ches Lyons' new book, "Trees, Shrubs and Flowers to Know in British Columbia." It's the kind of volume a youngster can use and it doesn't insult the intelligence of an adult. I like it, too. It's got pictures.

When we've worked over its different sections, we'll be able to be even more expansive than we are now in telling folk what's what in the woods.

Friend of Mine

What does make me a little snobbish on the deal is the fact that I'm acquainted with the author-complier. Friend of mine, you know—one of the young men in the forest service parks division who is working to help British Columbians overcome a prevailing ignorance of British Columbia.

So any time you want to know the name of a tree, shrub or flower in British Columbia, ask me. Only wait until I have Ches' book with me. On the other hand, maybe you could save time by getting one yourself. I'm still busy with mine, finding out what that pink stuff is that grows on Mossy Rock just after the forget-me-nots bloom.

City Ballroom Dancers Make History at Exams

Canadian dance history was made in Victoria over the weekend with the inception here of ballroom dancing examinations. The exams are part of a plan by the Canadian Dance Teachers' Association to improve the standard of dancing across Canada.

The Academy of Ballroom

Court Approves Settlement Terms In Damage Suit

Western Lumber Carriers Ltd. has settled out of court a suit brought by Mrs. Alice Cook, of Vancouver, and Robert A. Halliday, a British seaman, who were injured at the Victoria Outer Wharf a year ago. The two were walking from a ship when they saw a lumber carrier approaching. They dodged behind a pile of lumber to get out of its way but the carrier hit the lumber pile and some of it fell on their feet. The settlement, approved in B.C. Supreme Court in Vancouver last week, provides \$1,000 for Mrs. Cook and \$350 for Halliday.

Britain's Gasoline War Erupts in Open

LONDON (AP)—Britain's gasoline war flared into the open today with the return of brand-name motor fuel for the first time in 13 years. Filling station attendants are handing out pencils, razor blades, key rings and handkerchiefs to customers. Brand names were banned in 1940 when all Britain went over to low-grade "pool petrol." The new brands cost about a half-penny a gallon more than the pool mixture.

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'NOT COMMITTED' U.K. HOUSE TOLD

U.S. Release of 7th Fleet Stirs British Members

LONDON (CP)—Prime Minister Churchill told an uneasy Parliament today he made "no formal or informal commitments" to President Eisenhower during their meetings in New York.

Answering questions about the meetings, he said all his conversations were private and confidential and he therefore did not propose to make any statement about them.

"I can, however, assure the House that no commitments formal or informal were entered into by me," he added.

Churchill went on: "I am sure that it was a great advantage to me to make or renew these friendly contacts and I feel better equipped to form conclusions on the many complex issues on which cordial agreement between Great Britain and the United States is desirable and important."

Churchill also announced that Foreign Secretary Eden will make a statement about the island of Formosa Tuesday—a statement that is expected to express Britain's concern at a reported change in American policy towards the island on which Chiang Kai-shek's Nationalist Chinese army is based.

Churchill was pressed by Labor members—including former foreign secretary Herbert Morrison—to say whether he had discussed the future status of the disputed island with Eisenhower.

The British leader sidestepped this and several other questions. Then followed a vain bid by Labor member Desmond Donnelly to drop all scheduled Commons business and debate "the urgent need for the British government to prevent the spread of the Korean war and to consult immediately with the United States, India and other United Nations governments."

The Speaker rejected the motion. He ruled an official statement of a new Formosa policy has yet to be made by the United States.

Smashed Switch Nearly Derails Montreal Train

FORT EDWARD, N.Y. (UP)—Authorities are investigating the possibility of sabotage in the near derailment of a Delaware and Hudson Montreal-Albany passenger train by a battered switch.

Police chief Francis J. Moroney said the train was moving slowly northward near Fort Edward Saturday night when the engineer noticed something wrong as it hit the switch. Two rails were broken but the train remained on the tracks and continued to Montreal.

At Albany, F. D. Lonergan, assistant to the Delaware and Hudson vice-president and general manager, said the switch had been battered and thrown against northbound traffic. He said he had "not the slightest idea" who tampered with the switch.

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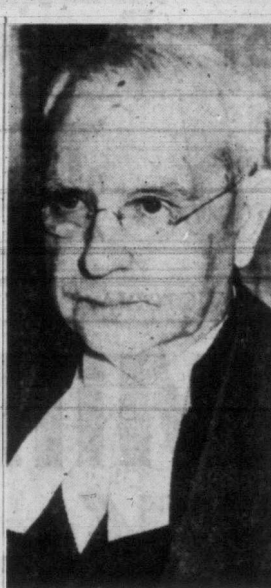
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MICKEY JELKE GOES ON TRIAL

N.Y.'s Biggest Vice Scandal In 20 Years Gets Airing Today

NEW YORK (UP)—Mickey F. (Mickey) Jelke goes on trial today in this city's biggest vice scandal since Charles (Lucky) Luciano was sent to Sing Sing nearly 20 years ago.

The 23-year-old heir to a \$3,000,000 fortune was under a nine-count indictment charging he supplied cafe society notables with pretty models, for fees ranging from \$50 to \$300 per night.

The double-barrelled complaint, charging compulsory prostitution and living off the proceeds of prostitution, could result in a jail sentence of up to 20 years or a fine of \$30,000, if Jelke is found guilty on all counts.

Jelke's trial was expected to differ sharply from that of Luciano. For one thing, the girls involved were a far cry from such lurid witnesses as "Cokie Flo," "Gashouse Lillian" and "Jennie" the Factory, who helped convict Luciano.

The parade of beauties scheduled to testify against Jelke were mink and satin-clad sirens who lived in Manhattan's best penthouse apartment hotels, hobnobbed with big business executives and drove expensive convertibles to and from their "dates."

The case has given cafe society a permanent case of the jitters since the arrest of Jelke, mainly because of 75 or more "little black" address books seized at the time. They are reported to contain the names of over 1,000 political, business, high society and entertainment world big wigs who used Jelke's alleged call girl service.

Whether they will be called to the stand was a matter known only to Assistant District Attorney Anthony J. Liebler.

Defense Attorney Samuel Segal said he would object to prosecution plans for bringing to the stand Diane (Golden Girl) Harris, one of almost a dozen shapely girls taken into custody as material witnesses in the case.

SOMETHING FOR FAROUK

Liebler has branded Diane an international harlot who plied her trade in London, Paris, Zurich and Rome, as well as New York. He said she was on the verge of becoming the new love toy for Egypt's King Farouk when that monarch was deposed.

Miss Harris denied this, as well as charges that she ever had performed as a prostitute for Jelke and shared her earnings with him.

One of the major witnesses against the youthful playboy was expected to be Erica Steel, a petite redhead allegedly set up in business as a madame by Jelke and Robert Merritt, a one-time press agent and cafe society hanger-on.

Merritt ended his partnership with Jelke in a nightclub brawl and went to the district attorney's office with the story of

their operation, claiming the chunky, margarine heir had threatened to kill him.

Another expected witness was Nancy Hawkins, former Richmond, Ind., high school cheerleader who came to New York to become a model. She testified in the trial of millionaire dressmaker Sam Chapman that she went on a date arranged for her with three men who were to pay her \$500 but who were too intoxicated and eventually gave her \$5 cab fare to go home.

Pat Ward, jilted girl friend of Jelke's who tried to commit suicide last May in the Manhattan penthouse of Singer, Martha Raye, and top flight models and cover girls, including Barbara Harrison, Pat Thompson, Gloria Sinclair and Joan Douglas, were other prospective witnesses.

Anniversaries of the birth, accession and coronation of the sovereign rate a 62-gun salute at the Tower of London.

HEARING-AID OF THE WEEK

B. S. H. TYE

What Is a Transistor?

The junction-type transistor is a single small crystal of germanium made in three chemically different layers and electrical connections are made to each of these three portions of the germanium block. The two outer portions of the block are of the same nature and the thin central layer is of a different character. Because of the fact that these different layers must be produced as the single crystal grows, the production problems are tremendous and it is a laboratory job of the first order to produce successful units. The smallest junction-type transistors that we know about are enclosed in a small sphere of insulating material about 3/16 inch in diameter. Others have been rectangular with somewhat larger dimensions.

If you would like to know about the new Radioear hearing-aid which uses three transistors instead of vacuum tubes (which operates on one battery which lasts 2,000 hours), please call at the office of the Victoria Hearing-Aid Co., 625 Fort Street, Victoria, or write Mr. Tye at that address. No phone enquiries, please.

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Families Flee Flood's Devastating Assault

GREAT WAKING, Norfolk, England (Reuters)—Joe Goodwin, who lived here in an old shack with his wife and infant son, told Sunday how he escaped from the great floods which roared in over south-eastern England.

"I got out of bed in the middle of the night and stepped into a foot of water," he said, "I opened the front door and the flood nearly knocked me over."

"I shouted to my wife to climb on top of the wardrobe. She did, carrying our three-year-old baby, Allen, with her."

"Then I smashed a hole through the roof and we climbed out on top. We were practically naked."

A patrol boat finally rescued them, while the tide continued to flow through the village's sea wall.

In the town of Palling, John Neave, who was saved with his wife and seven children, said the first warning he had of the flood was when his wife looked out into the night and saw that "the sea was in the garden."

"Across the street I saw the general store collapse like a stack of cards."

"I heard people screaming, but the water was so high I could do nothing."

"The children were worrying all the time about their pet dog, Woofy, locked in a shed outside. I suppose it must have perished."

Neave looked from his window and saw "just one mad rush of debris" racing past.

"I saw a big black car floating, followed by a garage and a timber shed."

A police boat eventually came through the darkness to take him and his family to the shelter of a hotel being used in the village as an evacuation centre.

In the village of Mablethorpe, Harry Neal, who escaped from his bungalow with his wife and three young children, said:

"We heard water bubbling but thought it was the drains. Suddenly it came under the doors."

"We grabbed the children from their beds wrapped in blankets and carried them to a two-story house nearby."

"The current was so strong that I was swept off my feet and fell with one of the youngsters. I crashed into a tree but managed to get on my feet again."

Mrs. Hilda Stacey, also of Mablethorpe, said: "I have lost everything and I don't want to see Mablethorpe again."

'WE WOULD HAVE DIED HAD IT NOT BEEN FOR ANNIE'

CANNING TOWN, Essex (Reuters)—Sixty-seven-year-old Annie Shepherd, plowed through frigid water wearing only a nightdress to warn her neighbors of the oncoming flood. One of them said: "Many of us would have died had it not been for Annie."

SOUTHEAST, Essex (Reuters)—Harry Lake, 61, got in a boat for the first time in his life Sunday and brought 12 marooned persons to safety.

... LIKE A LOT OF BIG LAKES

Air Eye-Witness Tells of Disaster

By EDDIE WORTH

LONDON (AP)—It was a sight I had never seen before. It looked like a lot of big lakes or seas dotting the countryside.

The wind was so strong when we took off from Croydon to view flood-stricken areas that we hardly had to move before we were airborne. We were nearly at 1,000 feet before we passed out of the airport area.

Flying northward, every inch of the Norfolk coast looked completely wrecked. Every house on the sea front seemed to be covered with wreckage.

Tops of the sand dunes could be seen but then far inland was what looked like a big lake. The tops of the dunes gave the impression of an island between two seas.

We cut across the Wash to Skegness in Lincolnshire and all the way to Mablethorpe was another sea stretching several miles inland. There were a lot of lake-like bodies of water between Skegness and Mable-

thorpe. The railway line along the coast had disappeared.

Far inland from the coastline I saw people wading through water in their own backyards.

I could see a lot of rescue trucks, too, going along swishing through the water.

Edmonton Bus Strike Averted

EDMONTON (CP)—Edmonton bus drivers have won a pay scale equal to the highest in the country. At the same time, bus fares went up Sunday to 10 cents straight, or 11 tickets for \$1.

Edmonton's 450 bus drivers now will receive \$1.51 an hour, the rate paid in Toronto, Vancouver and Victoria. The city council's action, taken at an emergency meeting Saturday, ended a strike threat.

LASH WILL BACK MALAN LAW TO FORCE RACE SEGREGATION

CAPETOWN (Reuters)—Prime Minister Daniel Malan's Nationalist government won a vote of confidence in the South African House of Assembly today, shortly after proposing sharp new measures for quelling the passive-resistance campaign against its racial-segregation laws.

Earlier, the House had received from Justice Minister Charles Swart a criminal law amendment bill providing for severe penalties, including whippings, for offences against segregation laws.

The bill also struck a blow against organizations outside South Africa giving financial aid to passive resistance campaigners.

It provides for seizure of "postal articles" containing or suspected to contain funds to be used in support of any resistance movement.

Frenchmen Counter Queries by Dulles

PARIS (AP)—John Foster Dulles, the United States Secretary of State, met French leaders today with a spate of questions about France's reluctance to push for European unity.

The French, worried over President Eisenhower's reported decision to end the U.S. 7th fleet's neutralization of Formosa, also were expected to ask some questions about this.

French foreign office sources have said Foreign Minister Georges Bidault certainly will bring up the matter during his talks with Dulles and the U.S. foreign-aid chief, Harold Stassen.

The French fear the new policy toward Formosa might mean the U.S. is thinking of putting Chinese Nationalists into the Korean war. In that event, the French fear Communist China might send troops to help the Communist-led Vietnamese fighting the hard-pressed French forces in Indo-China.

The Chinese Reds already are helping the Vietnamese rebels with arms and supplies.

Dulles, on the other hand, wants to find out from the French what they intend to do about getting western European unity working.

The French have been wary of the proposed European defense community, which would rearm West Germany to help defend Western Europe. French leaders thought up the plan in the first place, but stalled after giving it a second look.

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Trapped in Blazing Farm Home, Three Ontario Children Perish

RODNEY, Ont. (CP)—Three children were burned to death early Saturday, when fire that swept through a farm home near this western Ontario village trapped them in an upper-floor bedroom.

Dead are Edward, 8, and Susan, 2, children of Mr. and Mrs. John McColl, owners of the home, and Deborah Clark, 4, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Clark of Chatham, Ont., visiting the McColls.

McColl managed to crawl into the bedroom through a window to get his son and the Clark girl, but was almost trapped himself in a vain effort to reach his daughter.

Deborah died in a Rodney doctor's office. Edward, taken to hospital in London, died Saturday afternoon. Susan's body was found among the embers.

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Wurtele Back, Sees Bigger Federal Grant

An increased annual federal grant to Esquimalt was forecast this morning by Reeve A. C. Wurtele on his return by air from Ottawa.

Ottawa also may pay for improvements to Admirals Road, he believes.

"It would be unfair to say we'll definitely get the increase," he said, "but I am very hopeful."

Reeve Wurtele carried a petition to federal authorities from his municipality for the increase because it was felt that non-taxable federal lands in Esquimalt represented an annual tax loss of \$56,000. He will give a full report of the Ottawa negotiations to the council at the regular meeting Monday at 7.30 p.m.

The matter of lands purchased by the Dominion government in Esquimalt last year but never paid for was also settled satisfactorily, Reeve Wurtele disclosed.

Also under discussion at Ottawa was the question of responsibility for the rebuilding of Admirals Road from Esquimalt Road to the boundary of the municipality.

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A Higher Baby Bonus?

THE CCF RECENTLY ASKED the Canadian Parliament to increase children's allowances sufficiently to compensate the recipients for the rising prices of recent years. This seems an attractive idea at first sight. Every family which receives allowances—which means every Canadian family with children under 16 years of age—no doubt would like to have a larger monthly cheque. But the government, refusing to play politics and bid for these people's votes, rejected the CCF proposal. A moment's thought should show why the government's decision was wise.

In the next year children's allowances will cost the Canadian taxpayers \$347 millions—that is to say, about \$2 a month for every man, woman and child in the country, or \$8 a month for a family of four. If the CCF plan were adopted the cost would go up immediately by about \$190 millions a year or roughly 50 per cent.

To secure that money the government would have to raise the personal income tax about 20 per cent or adopt some other equivalent tax increase. Moreover, the cost of children's allowances, without any increase in their rate, is going up anyway by something between \$12 and \$15 millions a year as our population grows. At this rate in 20 years it would be about double.

Explaining these facts for the government, Mr. Paul Martin warned Parliament not to kill the goose that lays the golden eggs. If, he said, the cost of social security becomes too great and the public refuses to bear it then such schemes will collapse. As the leading advocate of social security Mr. Martin

said he wished to see it preserved. "I do not want steps taken now which might result later in a serious reduction of this or any other social welfare measure. That has happened in Great Britain; it is happening today in France. That has happened in Belgium and in at least four other European countries. It has happened in at least three Latin-American countries that I know of." Of course it could happen in Canada if the load on the taxpayers became too heavy.

Children's allowances cannot be considered apart from the other welfare services of the state. This year Canada will spend the huge sum of \$1.3 billions for such purposes through the federal, provincial and municipal governments, apart altogether from every form of private charity. In a nation of our size and resources that surely is all we can afford at the present time when defense alone is costing us over \$2 billions, about four times our total prewar federal budget. It is a welfare program of proportions never approached by any country.

When the defense program eases, or when the total wealth of the country per capita rises, we shall have more money to spend for social security, if the public desires it. At the moment the most obvious demand of the public is for tax reductions, not for the increases necessary to support larger social services. In every aspect of government we have bitten off all we can chew. And if, as a result of increasing our commitments, we provoke further inflation the value of all social service payments—as of all fixed savings—will continue to decline.

A Youth Paid With His Life

AT THE GATES OF WANDSWORTH prison in Britain last week great crowds gathered to protest the hanging of a 19-year-old youth. It was the last of several unsuccessful measures to save the life of the boy convicted and sentenced for a murder which he did not commit and which took place 15 minutes after he was under arrest.

Derek Bentley was one of a group robbing a warehouse. He was caught, unarmed, and was being held by a detective when one of his mates appeared in a doorway with a gun in his hand. The evidence shows that Bentley called to the other youth, "Let him have it, Chris" and the lad fired, killing a constable. The boy with the gun, a juvenile, has been imprisoned "during the Queen's pleasure."

In law, the fact that Bentley did not fire the fatal shot did not excuse him. He was one of a group which combined to commit a crime and as such, he was jointly responsible for that murder and has paid the extreme penalty. The younger boy escaped the gallows because of his age.

The principle of law clearly shown in the Bentley case should be understood by all people, particularly youths who may embark upon

a crime in company with others without realizing the degree of guilt thrust upon them by the actions of their fellows.

The decision against commuting the death sentence on Bentley—a decision taken by the Home Secretary following appeals and petitions from the public and from members of Parliament—was probably one of the most difficult decisions any man is called upon to make. Yet the Home Secretary, standing by his principles, made it.

Executions of this type will continue to draw cries of protest. The cries will come from that section of the community which is unalterably opposed to the death penalty in any form. They will come from others who decry the barbarism of execution by hanging. They will come from people sympathetic to the accused and, in some part, they will arise from individuals swayed by sentimentality.

A grim and terrible penalty was exacted against the youth at Wandsworth. Yet it must never be forgotten that the execution was the final step in the processes of law enforced to protect society. Through the agencies created to permit people to live together, society has eliminated a person who warred upon it and was jointly responsible for the death of another.

Get the Full Picture

THE PEOPLE OF CANADA DO not want to socialize the CPR. One nationalized railway, the CNR, is sufficient to serve as a yardstick of costs and service. The great majority of Canadians prefer to retain private enterprise in their public utilities as well as in smaller industries, as long as it proves efficient.

But the Lethbridge Herald, the able foothills journal of Sen. Buchanan, wonders editorially if this frame of mind will hold in the face of ever increasing freight rates.

Does not the fact that CPR stock has risen from \$10 or \$12 to around \$30 in the past few years appear odd in view of the poor mouth put on by officials of the transcontinental line in their appearance before the Board of Transport Commissioners?

The answer appears to lie in accounting methods. The CPR insists that its arguments for higher freight rates be based on railway operations only. But what, asks the Herald, about the other aspects of this wide-spread organization?

The Commissioners should have regard, in setting the vital rates that can aid or depress Canada's east-west trade, to the company's \$18

millions in dividends from the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company, to its more than \$2 millions in oil and gas royalties and fees from lands granted to it under the original charter. These sums, and there are others pertinent to CPR operations, were received last year.

To the man who pays freight rates—and he is the man who buys Ontario manufactures in British Columbia or Pacific coast products in Ontario—a company is a company, and what it makes on the roundabouts should be computed with what it loses on the swings when setting the prices which he, as a consumer, must pay.

Nationalization of the CPR, fought out in a thousand school debating clubs and forensic forums during the past generation or two, is not today a threat. But it is certainly still a possibility if the consumer is eventually moved to desperate measures.

And as the Lethbridge Herald comments, in noting the pessimistic description of their operations with which company officials approach the Transport Board: "We wouldn't like to see them talk Canada into a mood to take the big enterprise over at a poor mouth valuation."

Disturbing Incidents

THE OUTBREAK OF FIRES IN a number of merchant ships in British ports, and reports of damage to navy ships strongly suggest that more than coincidence is involved.

These are not the first incidents of such a nature. There have been a number of similar "unexplained"

happenings over the past year or two.

Damage has occurred in places and is of a nature to suggest a subversive infiltration of ranks in which normally full confidence is placed. The public will await with some apprehension the results of the investigation now under way.

Chips

BY DAVID BROCK

TODAY, February 2, is the feast of Purification of Our Lady. To those who care about such things it is known as Candlemas. And in the old days it was considered the end of Christmas. Today, in the bigger shops and in the editorial offices of foresighted magazines, it is considered the beginning of next Christmas. And if Christmas is a good thing (which no wise man denies), I suppose you can't get too much of it. Pass the turkey.



Brock

Among those who don't care for Candlemas, today is known as Groundhog Day. Every prattling gabbler knows that. And so do the sycophant varieties, the forlorn snakes, the blockish grunts, the fondling fops, the doddipol joltheads, the slouch, call-lolles, the codshedd loobers, the jobbernel goosers, the grout-head grut-snappers, the noddiepeak simletons, the lob-dotterels, and the ninnhammer flycatchers, and all the rest of the nit-wits described in my master Francois Rabelais' list . . . Rabelais, who knew fools best, and has been called dirty for it ever since. Fools don't like to be called fools, and can easily have you arrested for indecency if you name them.

INDEED, I stood convicted only the other day for not suffering a fool gladly and thus offending against the plain instruction of the Bible. He was an out-size fool, and a civil servant to boot (boot is an important word here), and his task was to advise Her Majesty on various vital matters. Mistaking me for Her Majesty, he undertook to advise me, though we were merely relaxing at a cocktail party (if one can be said to relax at such feasts of wit).

I told him to buzz off, and he very properly resented this. I had put an affront upon him. So he had me locked up without further ado, and I am writing these words in prison. My cell-mate is here, on a similar charge. It seems he made the bad mistake of calling a damnfool a plain fool. If you have studied law, you will recall that to say a man is a fool is slander, while to call him a damnfool is mere pleasantry and what the French term un facon de parler. . . . Just a way of talking. There is a leading case on this point, though I cannot remember the name of the case (or, as we old law-cats say, the style of cause . . . we charge you extra for this fancy talk, too, because we must pay for our education).

WELL, but what were we talking about? Ah, yes, Groundhog Day. The day when we forecast the weather, and predict it all to pieces. By the beard of the Weather Profit, I feel the gift of

prophecy coming over me! By the pricking of my thumbs, a depression off Alaska this way comes. It is not without reason that the natives of southern Regina have a saying, which they repeat until they are all nauseated on February 2:

On Groundhog day if all be clear,
Nobody'll vote us out of here.
There is a similar saying in the fine old farming town of Agincourt, Ontario, where Henry V fought one of his best movies:

If on the second of February,
Your car won't start, that's very very.
The poem ends on the adverb, which gives it a nice modern touch and entitles it to be hung in any accredited art gallery. It has also been hung in effigy.

IF ANYONE knows any good little verses about predicting the weather, I'd be glad if he'd keep them to himself and not go sending them to me. I have too many already, thank you all the same. They are a great trouble to me, and few of them are reliable, coming as they do from other lands with other weather.

If the ash be out before the oak,
Then drink your port before you smoke.
I mean, stuff like that is merely silly. Not that I don't pin some little faith in this old maxim:

A sunset in the morning
Is the sailor's warning.
Talking of sailors reminds me of tailors. A tailor once told me:

When the wind is in the east,
You'll need to get your trousers creased.
And I promised to remember this. I asked him, on his part, to write this on his cuff:

When the wind is in the south,
Will proverb-mongers shut their mouth?

BUT he wrote it with white chalk on a white cuff and thus lost it, so I left him for a simpton. Which he was, indeed, because no man but a simpton could long endure the insults and the vanity of men who hire tailors. Unless, of course, he is powerful enough to bully them into cringing silence from the start, as many tailors are. I hear the sociologists are now studying the relationship between tailor and client. But nobody is studying the impact of sociologists themselves upon society. Nobody even studies the welfare of welfare workers. How's that for lopsidedness?

St. Swithin's Day, if thou do rain,
Much social work goes down the drain.
St. Swithin's Day, if thou be fair,
Much social work's a social care.

WHERE were we? Ah, yes, well, a happy Groundhog Day to those who feel deeply about groundhogs. And a happier one to those who don't. I shall now go and eat a ground pork sausage, with rosemary and fried apple slices.

Fighting To Keep His Powers

By JOSEPH and STEWART ALSOP From Washington

PRESIDENT EISENHOWER must soon reassert his national leadership in no uncertain terms. If he fails to do so, he may find the real powers of decision slipping out of his hands.

There have been plenty of symptoms of this danger. Two occurred on the same day, last Tuesday. On that day, Chairman Daniel Reed of the House Ways and Means Committee, announced to the press that he would push through his 11 per cent tax cut bill come what may, adding that the House would delay passing the bill only "over my dead body."

Neither Eisenhower's Secretary of the Treasury, George Humphrey, nor any other Eisenhower official was consulted on the Reed tax bill. In fact, Reed flatly told members of his committee that he intended to get the bill passed no matter what Eisenhower, or Humphrey, or anyone else, had to say about it.

His object, he said, was to return the tax-writing prerogative from the Treasury to this committee, where it belongs. And when he announced his intention, he spoke in the confident knowledge that he had heavy support in his own party in the House.

On the same day, two committees of Congress reported out a bill defining the President's power to reorganize the executive branch of the government. Both committees voted sharply to reduce President Eisenhower's power in this vital respect, limiting it even more than President Truman's power was limited.

This is the power which Eisenhower needs to clean up "the mess in Washington," and to achieve substantial savings through greater government efficiency.

There are many other signs and portents of the tendency of the Congressional Republicans to take matters into their own hands, and let the new President twiddle his thumbs. Partly, this is a matter of instinct, inbred in Congressional Republicans after 20 years of

inveighing loudly against "rubber stamp Congresses."

Asked why Reed had not consulted the Treasury leaders on his tax bill, one Reed intimate replied, "Why, it would never occur to him—it would be like trading with the enemy." Many veteran Republicans, like Reed, assume as a self-evident truth that the power to make policy will now rest with Congress—"where it belongs."

What has been happening is also a result of understandable inexperience in and around the White House. The President himself, after all, has had very little practical experience of Capitol Hill politics, and very few of his advisers have had more. Congressional Republican leader Clarence Brown reportedly discussed the reorganization bill briefly with Eisenhower, and the fact that the President made no protests suggests that he was not wholly aware what was at stake.

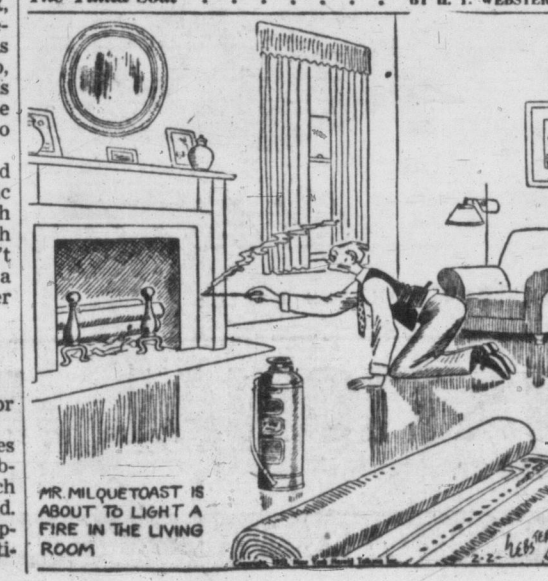
But the real trouble was summed up by one pro-Eisenhower Senate Republican, who remarked, "There seems to be no one to pass the word—and there doesn't seem to be any word to pass."

With White House policy still nebulous or wholly unformed, it was inevitable that the long established Republican Congressional leaders should move into the existing vacuum. The great majority of these men, moreover, look to the immensely powerful Senator Robert A. Taft, as their natural leader.

Thus the danger is real that the President will lose the power of decisive leadership, while the initiative passes to Taft and the other men who fought the President bitterly at Chicago. This certainly need not happen.

The President has two immense assets—his national prestige, and the fact that he is likely to win any showdown with Congress, with the help of Democratic votes. For these very reasons, the Congressional leaders certainly are not spilling for a fight with the President.

The Timid Soul : : : : : BY H. T. WEBSTER



MR. MILQUETOAST IS ABOUT TO LIGHT A FIRE IN THE LIVING ROOM

From Our Files

Feb. 2, 1893—Sleighing was again greatly in vogue today; and the streets had quite a lively appearance.

Feb. 2, 1913—The sale of tickets for the second annual ball of the Victoria Fire Department is progressing favorably and the event promises to be an even greater success than last year's function.

Feb. 2, 1933—Sale of the veteran Ss. Princess Royal by the B.C. Coast Service to Harold B. Elworthy, manager of the Island Tug and Barge Ltd., was announced yesterday. The vessel was built in 1907 at the Bullen Shipyards in Esquimalt.

Let's Do More Work on the Walls and Less on the Partitions



As Our Readers See It

CONSTRUCTIVE THINKING

Just a short note of appreciation for the extracts from Dr. Peale's book on constructive thinking you have started in your paper and also for making them a front page item.

I read them with interest and I know many others will do so too. Mrs. Smiley of the Truth Centre mentioned their excellence in her talk to us.

(MRS.) MURIEL E. THORN.
2530 Windsor Road.

RECENT EMERGENCY CASE

Having worked for a period of two years at St. Joseph's and Jubilee Hospitals, I would like to state in defense of the Sister Superior Rosemary of St. Joseph's Hospital that she was quite right and quite humanitarian and knows her job.

The doctor should have taken the patient to the Jubilee Hospital where they have the right accommodation for this kind of patient.

FRANK GALLOP.

BRITAIN'S TRADE

At the Empress Hotel Jan. 27, Mr. Gardiner definitely stated that what he wanted to see was "reduced production of farm products to keep prices high in Canada." With a general shortage in the world of food one can judge the calibre of politician Gardiner talking to Canadian farmers. Where does the consumer come in with such a policy?

He also said "Britain doesn't want our produce." But he didn't state the reasons, namely, high prices and lack of convertibility of the pound.

We are glad enough to sell her our surplus wheat.

Mr. Gardiner did not say one word about any effort toward finding a way to ease the situation for Britain. The pound sterling today is worth \$2.74 and it's about time something was done to enable Britain to buy our produce without having to take a double licking of high prices plus low convertibility.

FRANK H. PARTRIDGE.
151 Beach Drive.

'AN EYE FOR AN EYE . . .

Mr. Oldfield states in his letter which you published on January 21, that the Lord Jesus Christ said: It shall be an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth. The only place where Jesus mentions this is Matthew 5:38, in the Sermon on the Mount. A sermon which every child of ten should know by heart in a Christian country.

What the Lord actually said was:

Easy on the Water, Please!

We have been carefully watching the results of the findings of the liquor commission to see if any mention had been made of the fact that we have been (and still are) being sold three parts water at exorbitant prices.

If and when we get cocktail bars and liquor served in eating places what kind of a cocktail can we expect to get out of liquor already so weak that it takes about half a tumbler full to make a decent drink, and if we are to be served with a gill as of yore it is going to require many of them to make a quorum.

Are we going to go back to the days of the good old bars in which the bartenders went down to the cellar and filled all the bottles regardless of the labels, out of the same barrel? All except the gin which was usually made right there as required, by adding a couple of drops of oil of juniper to a pail of diluted alcohol. Them was the good old days!

What has become of the genuine liquor which, if you didn't follow it up with a chaser within ten seconds, down went your tonsils with it.

Seems to us on the sidelines that any reform should begin with the quality and price of the stuff offered to us to drink and the absurd method of handling it.

Soon after the first days of prohibition it became necessary for the Old Country distillers to make special bottles in order to preserve the integrity of their product in most cases with non-refillable bottles. Some of the stuff for sale now in our vendors bearing fine old names is a horrible caricature of the old original.

Are we going to sidestep the California wine question once more? That

"You have heard the saying, 'An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth.' But I say unto you, you are not to resist an injury . . ." (Moffatt Translation). He then takes four more verses to elaborate just the opposite of the eye for an eye attitude. He even goes on to say "Love your enemies."

Of course, as everyone in a Christian country should know; the eye for an eye attitude was taught by the Mosaic Law, the law of the Old Testament, the only law that the people he was addressing then knew. Our Lord was leading them on to understand his new law, the law of the New Testament; the law of love, mercy and forgiveness; and contrasting it with the old law, which they did understand.

Our Lord fulfilled the old law by his own life and death and gave to us Christians, in its place, his new law as epitomized in His two commandments:

"Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, with all thy soul, and with all thy strength, and with all thy mind; And thy neighbor as thyself."

That Mr. Oldfield could so misquote Our Lord's sayings, and that few or none have come forward to correct him, shows the urgent need for more and better teaching of the Bible in this fair land of ours. For it is only the Gospel found in the New Testament which can save us in these crisis days.

A. S. AVERILL.

THE ART CENTRE

A radio broadcast reported that representatives of the outlying municipalities had been invited to foregather with their city counterparts to consider the apportionment of costs relative to the upkeep of the Art Centre.

According to the report, Saanich sent no representative to the meeting; Esquimalt pleaded poverty; Oak Bay suggested the possibility of a donation of indefinite size.

It appears that the city backers of the Art Centre are undying optimists. Not yet has it been learned that Oak Bay, like Jeshurun, has "waxed fat" and has little time and less money for art. Saanich, apparently, has no use for any such soul-lifting medium, and Esquimalt is far too busy trying to catch up with 40 years of street-making neglect.

Victoria may as well "go it alone" and bear the full costs with dignity, hoping nevertheless that in the process of time the lesser lights of the contiguous municipalities may emerge from their "dim bulb" state of voluntary artistic benightedness.

"EBORACUM."

These fine table wines, equal in lots of cases to the best France can produce, have been excluded from our local shelves to make room for local products is sure something.

Sure we need a real liquor reform but let us start with the liquor itself then maybe we can do something about the prices later.

H. E. VAN FROOME.

(Editor's note: Imported and domestic whiskies sold by the Liquor Control Board have a strength of 30 degrees underproof, as the result of a change made at the beginning of the last war. Strength prior to that had been about 25 under proof.)

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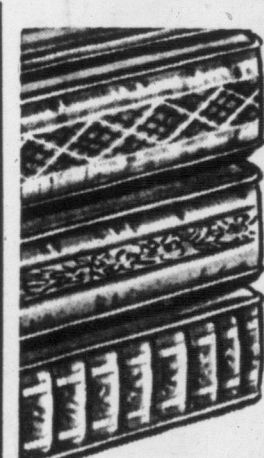


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MONDAY, FEB. 2, 1953

PM's Speech Seen As Election Line

OTTAWA (UPI) — Prime Minister Louis St. Laurent, who returned to Ottawa today from a week-end visit to the Brantford, Ont., home of Mr. Speaker W. Ross Macdonald, MP.

The trip, made primarily to honor Mr. Macdonald at a testimonial dinner, had been taken by Liberal and Opposition MP's alike to the opening rally in the forthcoming general election campaign.

Although no date for the election has been announced, the Prime Minister's speech was taken by his followers as the tip-off of the line of argument to be used on the hustings when the campaign gets under way in earnest.

The Prime Minister hinted broadly that Mr. Macdonald would be a high duelist would face him. It has been tradition that a Speaker of the House, after serving his term, goes to some other important post in the cabinet, the diplomatic corps, or the Senate.

The Prime Minister spent Sunday, his 71st birthday, aboard his private railway coach returning to Ottawa. He has given no hint of any plans to retire from his office at an early date. It has been generally accepted in political circles that he will stay until some time after the next general election if his health holds out.

Mr. St. Laurent was reported last summer to have given a Pupils Will Preview Symphony on Sunday.

Senior students of Greater Victoria public and private schools will preview next Monday's concert of the Victoria Symphony Orchestra on Sunday afternoon at 2:30.

A practice of inviting students to preview the concert originated some time ago, and has proved popular. Its main purpose is to foster interest in symphony among young people.

The public concert will start at 8:30 p.m. at the Royal Theatre. Mary Hammond, cellist, will appear as solo artist.

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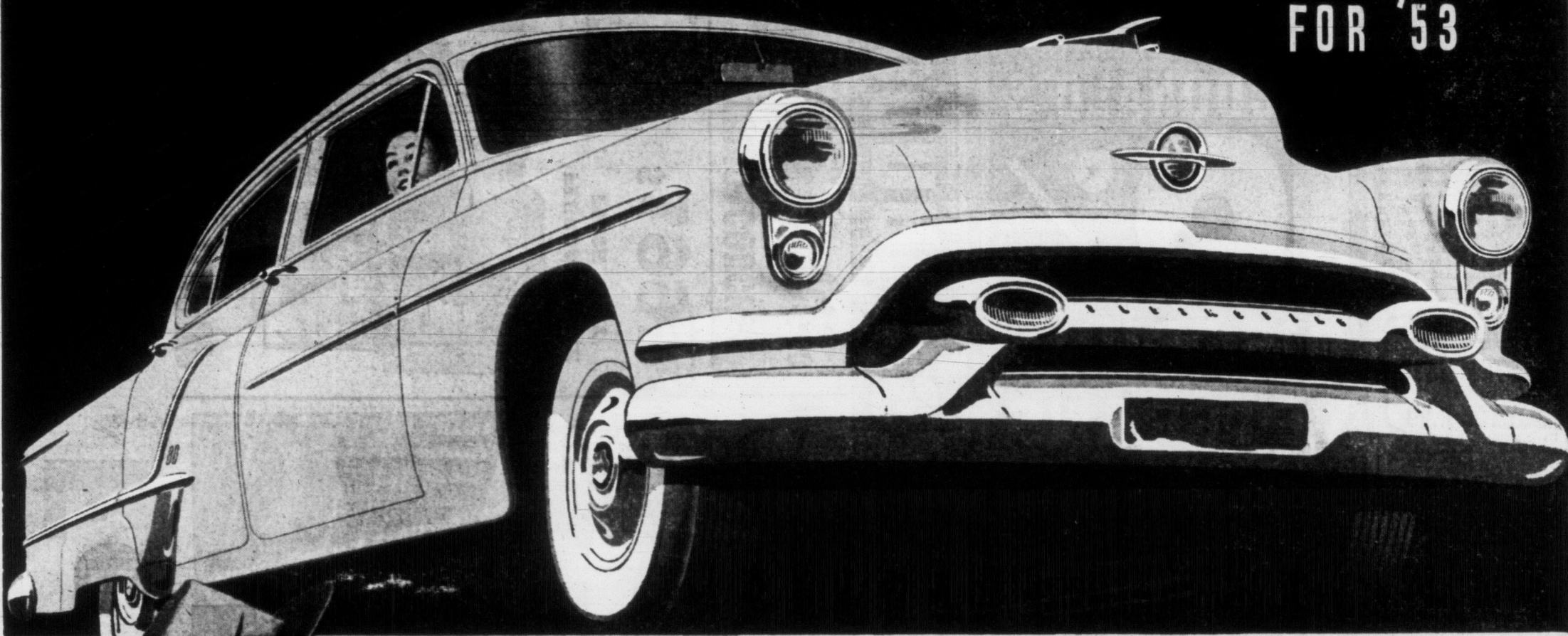
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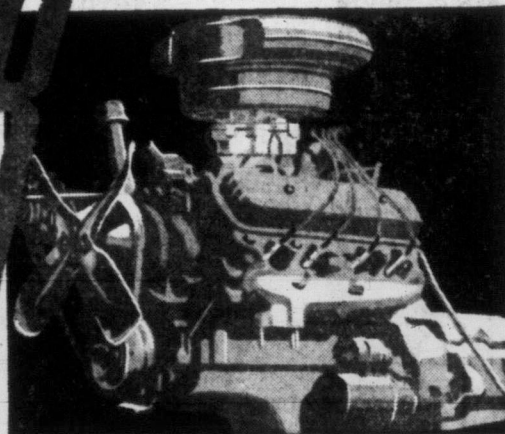


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Powerful New Buicks Utilize V-8 Design

By DON INGHAM

Buick is celebrating its 50th anniversary in the horseless carriage trade with its first brand new motor design in 18 years—a V-8 that develops 170-horsepower in the Super and 188 in the Roadmaster.

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Special Gifts

ARDINGLY, Eng. (CP)—Unusual contributions have been seen on the collection plate of the Anglican church in this Sussex town, but the strangest has just been recorded. Two envelopes after a recent service contained cigarettes for the rector, and biscuits for the church mouse.

CHURCH BUILDING TOTALS \$150,000

Smaller Institutions Plan Future As Cathedral Opens Drive for Funds

Church buildings, additions and halls to cost in the neighborhood of \$150,000 are in various stages of planning in Victoria and vicinity.

Few are for execution this year, most being longer range projects.

They are in addition, however, to the already-announced plans of Christ Church Cathedral for the ultimate completion of the Cathedral at a total cost of \$750,000, and to a three-year building project at First United, for which no cost has yet been estimated.

In most cases church committees and boards are discussing ways and means of financing, locating sites and laying plans for fund-raising campaigns.

Anglican churches particularly are expected to "hold off" this year in view of the cathedral's big campaign—first section of which will be launched in March.

PLANS IN BRIEF

Here in brief are plans of various churches:

St. Matthias Church—Propose to build new church at estimated cost of \$50,000; plan to obtain site only this year. New church will seat 250 as compared with 160-seat capacity of present building.

St. Alban's—Three-year plan to erect \$25,000 parish hall, for which \$3,000 has been raised so far; hope to start this year.

St. George the Martyr, Cadboro Bay—Committee studying possibility for completion of existing church; strictly planning this year.

St. Luke's—Building plans under discussion but extent not known.

St. Martin's-in-the-Fields—Plan to erect first unit of new parish of All Saints, a mission of St. Martin's at View Royal. Overall job will cost between \$20,000 and \$25,000. First unit to be Sunday School which will be used temporarily as a church.

St. Paul's Naval and Garrison—Hope to start new Sunday School building this year; no estimate of cost.

St. Michael's, Royal Oak—

Campaign to raise about \$8,000 for church extension. No start expected for two years.

Oak Bay United—Committee exploring ways and means of providing addition to Sunday School. Estimated cost about \$15,000. If possible hope to make a start this year.

First United—Architects working on plans for Sunday School addition, one of several projects included in the three-year building fund campaign.

Metropolitan—Plans redecoration of church this summer.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian—Hope to redecorate auditorium this year.

First Baptist—Architect working on plans for new kitchen in basement of church to cost about \$2,000.

First Baptist, Elk Lake—Plans of B.C. Baptist board call for new roof; estimated cost, upwards of \$6,000.

British Industry Strives to Show World Leadership

A resurgence of enterprise and endeavor is noticeable today in Britain, Miss Beryl Foyle, Birmingham business woman, told the Victoria Lions Club last week.

The spirit of private enterprise is more alive now than it ever was, she said. And manufacturers are out to show the world once again that Britain can lead the way.

She noted, however, that industries of a small scale were the rule rather than exception there. She said 97 per cent of the manufacturing firms in the country employed less than 250 people.

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MONDAY, FEB. 2, 1933

ST. AIDAN'S COMPLETES CLASSROOMS

Work has been completed on St. Aidan's United Church project for 1932—construction of classrooms in the church hall.

In the year to come, the stuccoing of the main and decoration of the hall are given priority.

Reports to the congregation were made recently at the annual supper meeting, at which the ladies' guild served.

Confidence was expressed in the pastor, Rev. Lyn Clertue, and in the progress of the men's, women's and young peoples' groups.

LIVELY DREAM

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (CP)—A 12-year-old boy from an orphanage at Grahamstown who spent a day at the sea-side dreamed that night he was swimming. He dived out of the second-story window of the orphanage and was found on the ground, dazed, with a sprained arm his only injury.

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Oak Bay United Expands Sunday School

Plans for more and better accommodation for the Sunday school whose enrollment now stands at close to 350, were reported to the annual meeting of Oak Bay United Church recently.

The congregation learned that during the year all financial commitments had been met and all missionary objectives over-subscribed.

A total of \$16,000 was raised and about 25 per cent of the total went for missionary and benevolent purposes, including

temperance, Bible society, Naramata School, Burnaby Home for Girls, Indian work, Student Christian Movement.

F. G. Matkin, secretary, reviewed the work of the past year. Other reports were given by: J. H. Britton, A. R. C. Hebbden, G. H. Gardiner, Maj. George Whalen, Mrs. K. Reilly, Mrs. A. J. Bowering, Mrs. William Stewart, Mrs. V. Bugslag and E. Patrick.

Church membership now stands at 513 with a "fine ad-

dition" to the total made during 1932, the meeting learned. Elected to the board of stewards for three years were: Mrs. F. G. Matkin with J. L. Le Huquet, A. J. Bowering and J. Archer.

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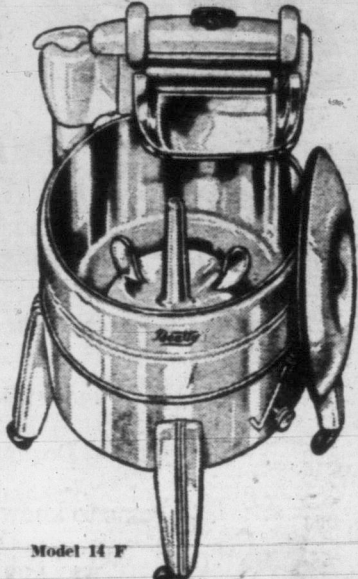
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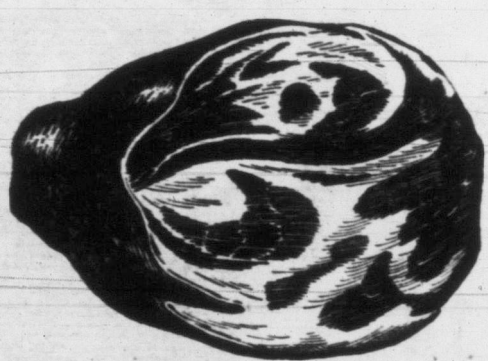
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Dr. George Bigelow and Phil Redford of Victoria Golf Club made their first defense of the city senior golf buttons a successful one Sunday by downing challengers Joe Pryke and Jack Clarke of Gorge Vale 2 up at the defenders' home course.

Winners fired a best ball of 71 to 73 for the losers. The first 10 holes were halved, with the Gorge pair copping the 11th.

Bigelow and Redford bounced back to snare the 12th, 13th and 14th and the challengers won the 15th. The 16th and 17th were halved, but Redford and Bigelow cemented the victory by winning the 18th.

BOMBERS EXTEND STREAK

Stamps Take Two Beatings

About the only thing Calgary Stampede had to be thankful for after last week's disastrous trip to the West Coast was that it was their last of the Western Hockey League season.

Stamps salvaged only one win and a tie in five games and bowed out in a most unceremonious fashion. Their lanky goalie, Phil Hughes, watched no less than 19 goals whistled by him in the final two games.

Tacoma Rockets pummeled them 10-1 Saturday while Saskatoon kept pace with Vancouver with a hard-earned 6-5 win over Edmonton Flyers. Canucks whipped New Westminster 10-2.

Ray Barry was the only Stampeder able to get the puck past goalie Doug Stevenson in the game at Tacoma. He turned the trick at the 16:55 mark of the second period.

Wayne Brown was the big gun in the Rocket attack as he picked up his first hat-trick of the season. Doc Halderson scored twice and Doug Adam, Barton Bradley, Mark Marquess, Buck Jones and Ted O'Connor completed the scoring for Tacoma.

NBAR RECORD

The win marked Bombers' 17th straight game without a defeat on home ice, within two games of the league record.

Their scoring was divided among Lorne Nadeau, Doug Macaulay and Rudy Pilon, each with two, and Al Stearns, Joe Bell and Lloyd Aisby with singletons.

Calgary's lone tally came on a screen shot by Joe Levandoski in their second period.

Vancouver's victory over Royals was its second in as many nights. Canucks trimmed their arch-rivals 3-1 Friday.

WHL Leaders

Leading scorers follow:

Player	G	A	Pts
Kaleja, Saskatoon	19	43	62
Reibel, Edmonton	23	38	61
Stasiuk, Edmonton	21	32	53
Smith, Vancouver	21	32	53
McLeod, Calgary	22	30	52
Kilburn, Victoria	22	30	52
Agar, Calgary	19	32	51
Johnson, Tacoma	21	29	50
Pilon, Seattle	21	29	50
Deasey, Victoria	21	29	50
Adam, Tacoma	24	24	48
Popein, Vancouver	18	30	48

Bay Ruggers Cinch City Championship

JBAA's powerful double combination clinched the Victoria Rugby Union first division league championship Saturday when they handed Crusaders a 14-8 defeat.

The Bays regained the one-point margin which they had lost to the runner-up Wanderers last week, and as the latter squad has completed its regular schedule, are a shoe-in for the title.

The Crimson Tide is traveling to Vancouver for their final game in the McKechnie Cup series on Saturday, so league play is canceled. Two weeks later the Barnard Cup play-offs begin.

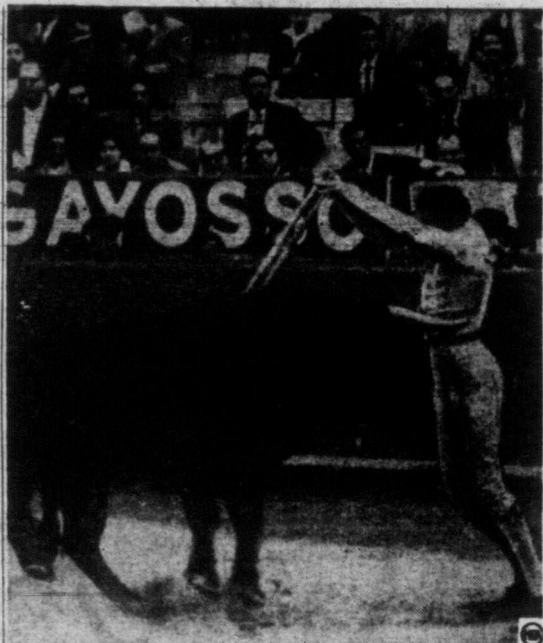
College downed Navy 6-3 in Saturday's exhibition contest for their second senior victory of the season.

Gary Pynn's three penalty kicks, two of them against the wind, and one conversion accounted for 11 of the 14 points scored by JBAA.

Pynn thus ran his total to 16 penalties and 12 conversions in 12 contests, an average of six points a game on kicks—a total that usually provides the Bays' winning margin.

John Shipley opened the scoring for the Crusaders with a penalty boot but Pynn's first boot knotted the count, and his second ran up a 6-3 lead.

The Knights continued to press and were rewarded when



A Real Bull Dozer

Showing complete disdain for El Toro's horns, Antonio Ordenez, one of Spain's leading bullfighters, slips an almost perfect pair of banderillas into the target while a Mexico City crowd leans forward in spellbound awe. In this little gambit, Ordenez had to step in between the charging animal's horns. (NEA Telephoto.)

Alberni Scores Convincing Win

Alberni 69, Victoria 54

Coach Busher Jackson's daughter fell asleep half way through Saturday night's basketball game between her dad's Victoria Kins and Alberni Athletics at Esquimalt High School.

The youngster was both wise and fortunate as her nap prevented her from seeing Alberni whale the everlasting knobs off Kins, 69-54, in the last meeting between the rivals before the commencement of the Vancouver Island senior A men's playoffs in two short weeks.

The 15-point loss left festering doubts in the minds of Victoria's small basketball legends as to Kins' chances of ending Alberni's reign over the island crown.

SERIES DATES

Kins travel to Alberni Feb. 13 and 14 for the first two games of the best-of-five series, returning to Victoria the following week-end for games on the 20th and 21st. If a fifth game is necessary, it is slated for Feb. 25 in Victoria.

However, of Saturday's performance, it could be said that Kins will have to pull up their sweat socks if the series is to go any more than three games.

Blame for the loss could not be affixed to any single member of the club as the entire team appeared tired and disinterested, particularly in the last quarter when Alberni outscored Kins 14-4, to put the wrappers on the game.

Alberni, on the other hand, were at their shooting best. Disregarding bucket plays, Alberni hit consistently from the outside and never once relinquished the lead built up the first quarter.

BROWN STARRY

Al Brown, a Vancouver import, gave Kins nothing but trouble and he poured his shot.

Ranson Arrows' Hero; Four Vets Quit Club

If Jimmy Ranson of Arrow Furniture senior B men's basketballers wanted to go into the story-book writing business, he could probably rival Hans Christian Andersen.

The manner in which Ranson enabled Arrows to nip Veterans of France 42-41 in the first game of a best-of-three city final Saturday night was strictly from a book of fables.

Arrows trailed Vets by three points with 21 seconds left before the final whistle.

Jimmy Lewis, whose phenomenal long distance shooting had enabled Vets to take the lead, was attempting to bring the ball out from under his own basket when Ranson darted in, stole the ball and

flipped it in to leave Arrows one point behind.

Again Vets tried to bring the ball down the middle but this time it was Arrows' Ernie Fox, with his octopus arms flailing, who jarred the ball away from Vets. Ranson nabbed the ball and threw it in with just two seconds left for the winning points.

Lewis topped all scorers with 12 points, most of them on towering long shots. Manager, Charlie Lewis of Vets, announced following the game that four players, Whitey Severson, Bernie Anderson, Jack Northup and Bud French had quit the club.

Scott & Peden trounced Victoria College 47-13 to cop the junior men's semifinals series 87-38 and qualified to meet Dickinson & Dunn for the city crown.

Arrows and Veterans resume their series tonight at Victoria High School at 9 while Dickinson & Dunn take on Scott & Peden in the first game of their series at 8. First United meets St. Louis College at 7 in the first game of two-game total-point series for the bantam boys championship.

Line-ups follow:
Veterans of France—Bord 4, Griffin, Northup 1, Peden 2, French 3, Peden 4, Lewis 12, Mitchell 5, B. Anderson, Severson, Total—41.
Arrows—Ranson—Carter 8, Sim 5, Fox 12, Ranson 12, Lewis 12, Peden 2, French 3, Peden 4, Lewis 12, Mitchell 5, B. Anderson, Severson, Total—41.

Other games: Peden—L. Anderson 11, Hampson 4, Stokes 2, Snowsall 4, Whittle 4, Peden 2, Peden 4, French 3, Peden 4, Lewis 12, Mitchell 5, B. Anderson, Severson, Total—41.

N.H.L. Leaders
Howe, Detroit 30, A. P. 49
Lindy, Detroit 21, A. P. 49
Richard, Montreal 21, A. P. 49
Bergstrom, New York 21, A. P. 49
Reine, New York 15, A. P. 49
Fryslar, Detroit 13, A. P. 49

Vancouver Gains Entry In Western Grid Union

Special Conditions To Govern 1954 Franchise

REGINA (CP)—Vancouver got back into the big-time football ward during the week-end, but not before stiff opposition was registered by the Winnipeg Blue Bombers.

DEAL PENDING

Reds, Braves Go All Out For Kiner

NEW YORK (AP)—If Ralph Kiner, the National League's home-run king for the last seven years, leaves Pittsburgh Pirates he probably will go to Cincinnati Reds or Boston Braves.

Out of the wave of reports circulated during the major-league meetings here last week-end came these two definite facts concerning a deal for the 30-year-old slugger:

1. The Reds have offered Pittsburgh five players, valued by vice-president Gabe Paul of Cincinnati at \$300,000, for Kiner.

2. The Braves have handed Branch Rickey, general manager of the Pirates, a long list of players whom they are willing to include in a deal for him.

There were other reports that Brooklyn Dodgers and Philadelphia Phillies also were interested, but they were denied by top club officials. And still another had Wid Mathews, personnel director of Chicago Cubs, offering \$200,000 for the Pittsburgh star.

The offers of the Reds and Braves fit in with Rickey's pattern of disposing of ailing top-notch players and rebuilding with younger talent.

Rickey declined to say what players.

"Let's put it this way," he said. "A deal for Kiner definitely is contemplated and is nearer completion than 24 hours ago but it will not be completed as soon as another 24 hours."

The Vancouver football club was granted a franchise in the Western Interprovincial Football Union for 1954 under special conditions when WIFU delegates met in a two-day conference here Saturday and Sunday.

This action was taken around midnight Saturday when Calgary Stampede, Edmonton Eskimos and Saskatchewan Roughriders voted in favor of accepting the west coast application.

Winnipeg delegates voiced strong opposition to the entry of a fifth team, but relented after the vote and made it a unanimous decision.

The verdict ended 12 months' speculation as to whether the successfully-operating four-team league would break its make-up to allow another team in, thus disturbing a solid schedule and a generally-profitable enterprise.

Included in the conditions the Vancouver entry must meet or forfeit the franchise are: a stadium with a seating capacity of 15,000 by 1954; a certified report that 6,500 season tickets have been sold, and payment of all additional traveling expenses for the four other clubs created by Vancouver's entry.

Delegates granted Vancouver equal voting power with the other clubs when it gets into the loop in 1954.

The president of the Vancouver club, Art Mercer, said he was sure Vancouver could meet all commitments.

The necessary stadium appears to be in the bag—Vancouver ratepayers already have approved a \$750,000 by-law to help construct a \$1,250,000 stadium, with a seating capacity of more than 62,000—largest in Canada. The stadium will be designed to handle the 1954 British Empire Games, and the games society said it would supply the remaining \$500,000.

The Vancouver club now plans to hire a general manager, coach and imports, and line up its Canadian players.

After the Vancouver issue was cleaned up, the executive agreed to play the Ontario Rugby Football Union champions in a sudden-death game in the home of the western titleholder, the winner to advance into the Grey Cup final against the Big Four champion.

PROPOSED CHANGES
The league also will propose to the Canadian Rugby Union's annual meeting in Edmonton next month that a change be made in the voting power, the WIFU and Big Four having the sway.

The CRU also will be asked to adopt several rule changes, including upping the touchdown value to six points from the present five, 10-yard blocking for all backfielders, use of the tee for all place kicks, and clarification on some other rules.

SPRAGUE PRESIDENT
REGINA (CP)—Walter H. Sprague of Edmonton was elected president of the Western Interprovincial Football Union at its annual meeting Sunday. He succeeds Ralph Misener of Winnipeg.

crossed the line soon after, however, to put the visitors ahead 6-5 at the half. Tries by Charlie Bishop, Ron Mooney, and Ron Hughes, together with John Skillings' conversion of Ron Mooney's try put the game on ice for the Bays as the tiring prep school was unable to maintain its strong first half defense.

Little Tommy McIlveen and three of his fellow first division Wanderers joined the second division squad at Windsor Park and sparked a second-half drive that was climaxed by Merlin Hawes' 40-yard run which tied the score.

College had jumped into a 3-0 half-time lead on a try by Gary Monteith but missed a golden opportunity to win when a stiff breeze barely deflected a 35-yard penalty kick in the closing minutes.

Tom Simon and Ray Owens

Pratt, Evans, TV Top City Ice Card

Three items that should go towards making tonight's Commercial Hockey League card a bang-up affair:

First—Big loquacious Babe Pratt will be at the helm when Kerrisdale Wheelers take on Victoria Merchants in the feature at 9. Pratt, recently released by New Westminster

Sports

Victoria Daily Times MONDAY, FEB. 2, 1953

KRAMER NARROWS GAP, SEGURA WINS AGAIN

BUFFALO, N.Y. (AP)—A determined Jack Kramer made it two straight Sunday over Australia's Frank Sedgman in their international pro tennis series, winning in straight sets, 6-4, 6-2.

Kramer trails in the series with eight victories to Sedgman's 11.

A crowd of about 4,000 was on hand as the Australians suffered a double defeat in singles play. Pancho Segura dropped Sedgman's countryman, Ken McGregor, 6-4, 6-4.

Segura now leads McGregor in their series, 17 to 3.

STARTS FRIDAY

Leafs Enter Kinsmen Meet

The Kinsmen Invitational Basketball Tournament Friday and Saturday will be conducted on a true international basis as a result of a late line-up change.

Acceptance of Vancouver Clover Leafs in place of Bellingham G-Men leaves the tournament with two Canadian and two American clubs.

Victoria Kins are host club in the two-day tournament, the other clubs being Clover Leafs, defending champion Alpine Dairy and Buchanan's Bakeries, the latter two clubs coming from Seattle.

Tourney officials decided to accept Clover Leafs' late application when it was found the Bellingham club was not a regular team by a pick-up squad composed of members of a U.S. army camp.

The revised draw pits Kins against Clover Leafs in the opener Friday night at Oak Bay Junior High School. Alpines take on Buchanan's in the second half of Friday's bill.

Losers of the first two games play the opener Saturday night in the tourney final for the Kinsmen Trophy.

Previous Leg Wound Causes Boxing Injury

One injury and one sparking TKO marked lower Island eliminations for the Bronze Gloves at the Britannia Hall Saturday night.

"Russell Asworth of the Fire Department Club reopened a leg wound he had received in Vancouver last week in the first round of a bout with his clubmate Gordy Rabey and was taken to hospital for examination.

Eleven stitches were needed to close the gaping cut but hospital authorities dispelled fears that he may have damaged the tendon in his knee.

Up until the bout was stopped, Asworth was holding his own so the boys were called co-winners. However, it is not expected that Asworth will be able to take part in the Bronze Gloves finals, therefore Rabey will represent the city in the 75-pound class at Chemsimus.

Date for the tourney has not yet been set.

Jit Singh of Honeycomb Bay, scored a spectacular TKO over Bob Osborne of Esquimalt in the 100-pound class with one punch. Singh connected with the first blow of the bout.

Only two of the eight elimination bouts managed to go the full three rounds with four TKOs and one knockout halting all other bouts in the first round.

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Tommy Bolt Tops Tuscon Tourney

TUCSON, Ariz. (AP)—Tommy Bolt, Maplewood, N.J., sank a 12-foot putt for a birdie on the 17th hole and won the \$10,000 Tucson Open golf tournament Sunday with a 15-under-par total of 265. He collected \$2,000.

Chandler Harper, Portsmouth, Va., finished one stroke behind to collect \$1,400.

Cary Middlecoff, Memphis, Tenn., and Tony Holguin, Midlothian, Ill., tied for third with totals of 269 and each received \$920 in prize money.

E. J. Harrison, Ardmore, Okla., who had led the first two rounds and who had started the final 18 holes in a first-place tie with Bolt, went two over par for a 72 Sunday.

Bill Mawhinney of Vancouver shot a par 70 Sunday to finish with a total of 277. Mawhinney had previous rounds of 71-70-66. He was three strokes out of the money.

Two other Canadians in the tourney were well down the list. Pat Fletcher of Saskatoon, who had a 70-69-74—213. Rudy Horvath of Windsor, Ont., had 69-71-75-77—293.

MATCH THIS MARK YOU HORSESHOE TOSSERS

ELGIN, Ill. (AP)—Frank Breen, 38, claims four world horseshoe-pitching records.

Pitching two shoes in a six-hour marathon Saturday, Breen tossed 1,362 ringers in 1,774 pitches. Three other marks came during the session as Breen scored 271 points, and 86 ringers in 100 straight shoes, and looped 28 straight ringers.

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Orchids and Hula Maidens
Dress Up Ship's Swimming Pool
FISH DERBY
On the Yalder to B.C.
Steelhead Derby Attracts
Anglers From All Over
IN FLORIDA
More Lovelies, this time
"Miss Bicycle Contest"

M-G-M's
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**PLYMOUTH
ADVENTURE**
Technicolor
SPENCER TRACY - GENE
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VAN JOHNSON - GENN
Feature Time: 1.10, 3.12, 5.14,
7.16, 9.23

**TODAY
ROYAL**

SYMBOLISM IN TAPESTRIES

**Bette Kerkham Exhibit
Shows Wit, Originality**

By AUDREY S.T.D. JOHNSON
An artist with a strongly in-
dividual approach to a routine
subject is Bette Kerkham,
whose small exhibition of pas-
tels and needlework tapestries
made an all-too-brief appear-
ance in Eaton's Victorian
Lounge, Friday and Saturday.
With one or two exceptions
her subjects are floral and she
is at her best, not in directly
representational studies, but
when she is looking deeply into
her model and seeking to ex-
press its form and character in
symbolistic terms.
Her interpretations are in-
tensely personal and imagina-
tive. They have a freshness,
often a vividness which makes
one accept them with pleasure,
even when not in entire agree-
ment.
The scale of these studies is
much enlarged from the model
and the effect is therefore bold
and forceful. I was particularly
attracted to the apt character-
ization of "Jungle Patterns";
the "bees-eye" view of a cho-
late-and-cream striped tulip was
so cunningly arranged within
the picture-frame, so subtly
formalized, emphasizing and
minimizing in exactly the right
degree.
In the abstract, Mrs. Ker-
ham is motivated by musical
experience. Here again we sense
the strong personality, the
clear-cut conviction. The famous
Don Cossack song, "Monoton-
ously Rings the Little Bell," has
inspired a pleasing abstraction
in which color flows outward
from a dark core as sound flows
outward from the moment of
impact.
The needlework pieces reveal
the same wit and originality;
especially so, a representation
of "modern hit tunes".

**RCN Breaks With
Tradition; Makes
Engineer Captain**

HALIFAX (CP)—An en-
gineering officer became a ship's
the Royal Canadian Navy's 42-
captain for the first time in
year history at the commis-
sioning Saturday, of the 10-
000-ton Technical training ship
Cape Breton.
Cmdr. E. N. Clarke of Van-
couver took command of the
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6.36, 9.39
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Peggy CUMMINS
Richard GREENE
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Newsman See Rift

Greek newspapers claim a disagreement has developed between Great Britain's Admiral Mountbatten, left, and U.S. Admiral Carney, who share command of the NATO naval forces in the Mediterranean. Mountbatten, according to newspaper reports, arrived unexpectedly in Athens to attend a conference between Carney and Greek authorities, and, though Carney denied any discussion between them, Greek newspapers insist that Mountbatten's visit was not welcome.

WEATHER SYNOPSIS

VICTORIA'S SUNSHINE
RECORD TO DATE, 1953—
31.3 HOURS

SYNOPSIS: Mild, rainy weather continues to be the weather fare for the coast as successive disturbances continue to move in from the ocean. Mild weather is being enjoyed in the interior, too, where Arctic air now covers only the far northern section of the province.

This pattern shows few signs of change, although there may be occasional sunny periods on the coast.

DOMINION WEATHER PUBLIC OFFICE
9 A.M. FORECASTS

VICTORIA: Cloudy and mild. Rain this morning. Showers Tuesday. Wind southerly 15. Low-high at Victoria, 42 and 50.

VANCOUVER: Cloudy and mild with showers today and Tuesday. Wind southerly. Low-high at Vancouver airport and Abbotsford, 42 and 48.

GEORGIA STRAIT: Cloudy and mild. Showers Tuesday. Wind southerly 20. Low-high at Nanaimo, 42 and 48.

WEST COAST: Cloudy and mild with showers today and Tuesday. Wind southerly 20. Low-high at Seaside, 42 and 48.

TEMPERATURES

	Min.	Max.	Precip.
Montreal	-16	38	—
Toronto	-10	32	—
North Bay	-22	5	—
Port Arthur	-20	3	—
Kenosha	-17	10	—
Winnipeg	-17	4	—
Brandon	-23	39	—
The Pas	-8	6	—
Regina	-7	1	—
Saskatoon	-7	1	—
Prince Albert	-9	16	—
North Battleford	-3	1	—
Swift Current	-19	37	—
Medicine Hat	19	37	—
Lethbridge	23	39	—
Calgary	23	39	—
Kamloops	38	51	—
Penticton	43	47	—
Vancouver	44	49	12
VICTORIA	43	47	97
Kimberley	33	39	—
Crescent Valley	24	44	—
Prince Rupert	43	47	—
Prince George	33	40	—
Port St. John	8	2	—
Seattle	42	47	16
Portland	43	52	—
Chicago	14	20	—
Los Angeles	48	73	—
New York	43	53	—
Spartan	36	43	—
Whitehorse	7	1	—
Ottawa	-10	20	—
New Westminster	47	50	29

TIDES AT VICTORIA
(Pacific Standard Time)

Time Ht. Time Ht. Time Ht. Time Ht.
H.M. P.M. H.M. P.M. H.M. P.M. H.M. P.M.

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2 6.05 8.71 11.29 7.01 16.00 7.32 22.58 4.7

Island Digest

LANGFORD—Committee in charge of the Langford fall fair this year will be Arthur Kiteley, chairman, assisted by Mrs. E. Thow, Nels Smith, G. Klepp, K. Buxton, Al Knight, R. Carr, A. Yates, Mrs. E. Baker, Mrs. D. McLeod, and Miss L. M. A. Savoy.

LANGFORD—Collection boxes made by pupils of Belmont High School will be placed in stores as soon as possible for donations toward construction of a community building, Ron Limer reported at the regular meeting of Langford Community Club.

DUNCAN—Ald. R. K. Cairns was re-elected president of Duncan centre, St. John Ambulance Association, at the annual meeting Sunday at the City Hall.

DUNCAN—An off-the-record discussion by Cowichan and Gulf Islands zone, Canadian Legion, here on Friday is reported to have dealt with the possible enlargement of some Legion branch premises if the serving of food by all liquor licensees becomes mandatory.

SOOKE—A total of 16½ inches of rain fell in Sooke during January, according to Andre Robillard, weather observer. Normal average for 12 months is 50 inches.

NANAIMO—With two bridges providing the only convenient access to the northern section of the city, Brechin

Ratepayers' Association has decided to ask the city for an alternate plan in view of a fire protection problem.

Church and Bar Society Pillars, McKelvie Recalls

Pillars which supported the community in the good old days were "church, barbershop, livery stable and the bar-room," according to B. A. McKelvie, well-known newspaperman and historian.

Addressing the sixth anniversary dinner party of Victoria West Community Centre last week, Mr. McKelvie waxed enthusiastic over the days when men were men with mustaches and beards.

GRAND PRIX WINNER
BENOS AIRES (AP)—Giuseppe Farina of Italy whipped around the course at an average speed of 72 miles an hour Sunday to win the Grand Prix automobile road race.

REVOLVER SHOOT
Capitol City Revolver Club, the RCMP and Rangers will meet in a match revolver shoot at the Armories Tuesday night at 8.

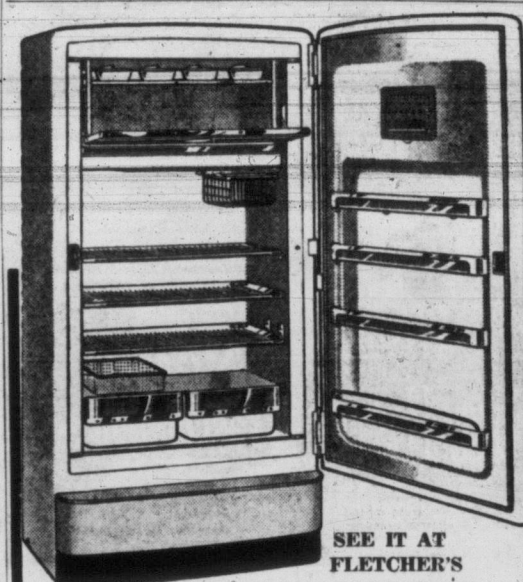
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Island Greyhound Breeds Organize

A special committee of the Vancouver Island Greyhound Breeders' Association has been named to gather information about greyhound racing and to frame a constitution for the organization.

The committee will be headed by Harry Thwaites, association chairman.

The meeting was attended by 23 greyhound racing enthusiasts.



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Railroad Veteran Retires

Forty-two years of railroad ended Saturday for H. "Ross" Wilkinson, left, division engineer for Canadian National Railways on Vancouver Island. His retirement was honored at Terry's Banquet Room by 75 CNR co-workers from here and the mainland. R. A. Bell, transportation assistant, CNR, Victoria, here makes presentation of a cheque. Mr. Wilkinson started railroading in 1911, served in France in First World War with railroad troops, joined the CNR in 1919, has been here since 1945.

Stubborn Blaze Confined By Saanich Fire-Fighters

About \$2,000 damage was done in a basement fire in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. B. Malerby, Lily Avenue, Saturday night.

Saanich firemen were on the job for three hours. The blaze destroyed a heating unit and articles in storage. It was confined to the basement but considerable smoke damage was done to upstairs rooms.

Cause of the fire has not

Bid Rejected

NANAIMO (CP)—Bill Clancy's bid for permission to enter an all-star team from Vancouver's Commercial Hockey League in the 1952-53 Allan Cup playoffs has been turned down by the British Columbia Amateur Hockey Association, president Dr. Larry Giovanna announced.

been determined. The Malerbys, their four children and a visitor were in the house when the fire broke out at 6:39 p.m.

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New Vitamins Won't Alter Bread Taste

Victoria bakers will add vitamins to their white bread starting Tuesday in accordance with new federal government food regulation which has been made compulsory in all nine provinces.

The regulation has been compulsory in Newfoundland since 1944.

The new bread will be enriched with riboflavin, niacin, thiamine and iron. Color and taste will be unchanged.

Victoria To Nominate Restaurateur of Year

Victoria membership of the Canadian Restaurant Association this month will poll its numbers to find a candidate for "The Restaurateur of the Year."

From the 23 candidates named by the association district branches across Canada, one will be selected by ballot at the annual convention in Toronto, March 23, 24 and 25. Philip Chan, Panama Cafe, 1407 Government Street, is president of the Victoria branch.

Victorian Heads Provincial Vets Association

T. R. Wheadon of Victoria was elected president of the provincial command, Army, Navy and Air Force Veterans Association, at the annual meeting here Saturday.

He succeeds J. R. Ellis of Vancouver.

H. R. McGivern of New Westminster was elected first vice-president; B. L. Gorrie, North Vancouver, second vice-president; H. K. Lester, Vancouver, third vice-president; A. L. Westmoreland, Vancouver, fourth vice-president; J. R. Ellis of Victoria, fifth vice-president.



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Stamp To Date Eggs' Ages

A system of stamping eggs with the date when they were laid, has been introduced by some Vancouver Island egg producers in order to compete with storage eggs from the prairies. It was learned today, Grade A eggs now sold on the market may be strictly fresh or they could be storage eggs which have been preserved in oil for six months.

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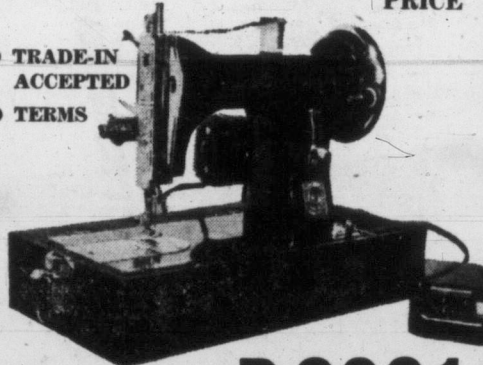
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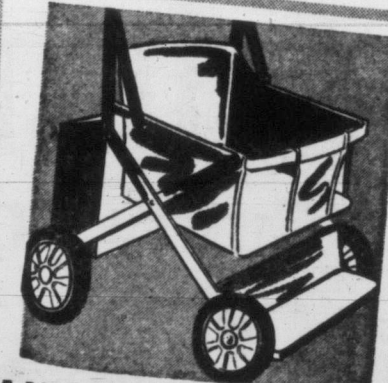
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BETWEEN TIMES

By MONTE ROBERTS

I understand that this is groundhog day, and that if the groundhog sees his shadow when he emerges from his burrow, we will have six more weeks of winter.

If the groundhog sees his shadow in Victoria, it will be because he is standing under a street light.

If the sun were to unexpectedly peek out from behind the overcast, the population of this city would believe it had seen a flying saucer.

During the month of January, Vancouver and Victoria put together failed to muster enough sunshine to burn the tip of a gnat's nose.

But, on the other hand, I don't recall anyone in these parts perishing in a snowdrift while lost in a blizzard.

So I hasten to add—I'm not really complaining, Mr. Weatherman.

Damp and dull though they were, the closing days of January had a spring-like quality about them. So much so that My Favorite Wife tackled a little spring cleaning over the week-end, and somehow, I got involved.

Not seriously, but enough to have some idea of what women go through during housecleaning.

I can now understand the popularity of the pony-tail hair-do.

If women have to work like horses, they may as well look like them.

Admirers of Punch will be distressed to hear of his cowardly behavior during the cleaning crusade.

I decided it would be a good idea to give him a mild spring cleaning, too, so attempted to run the vacuum cleaner over him.

I switched on the machine and called him over. He approached, stiff-legged and suspicious, to within a foot of the end of the machine.

I extended the attachment toward him and, as it touched his fur, he let out a squeal—and leaped into My Favorite Wife's lap, where he cowered and whimpered.

(As he weighs about as much as she does, you can see that My Favorite Wife was not too pleased by the episode.)

Punch is threatening to report me to the SPCA, but I can assure you, the only thing hurt was his dignity.

Miss Alicia Hart, who writes on beauty care, has some very good advice in the week-end paper.

It was addressed primarily to the ladies, but it deserves wider circulation.

"When you catch a glimpse of yourself in the mirror, are your lips relaxed, soft and appealing... or are they tight, tense, and turned down at the corners?"

"Try to keep your lip corners turned up all the time, even in repose... they best way to train your lips to stay put at the corners is to find things to smile and laugh about as often as you can during the day."

(I am in complete agreement. And if, in your search for things to smile and laugh about, you have a few left over, Between Times can surely use them.)

But let Miss Hart come to the point:

"Put a mirror near your telephone and the next time you are having a conversation, watch the lower part of your face."

This appeals to me as an exceptionally wonderful idea. I am going to urge our publisher to supply a mirror as standard equipment with each telephone in the office here.

It will do us a world of good to see us as others hear us.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES

Ten members of the White Cane Club here will begin a course in public speaking Friday. The eight-week course is sponsored by the CNIB-White Cane Recreation Association and has been prepared by the International Institute. Volunteer instructors, all graduates of the course, are Frank Paulding, Ronald Jeanne, Dan Parfitt and Stan Kendall. Lectures will be given in the CNIB auditorium.

City police reported three cases of car-prowling during the week-end.

Gasoline was syphoned from a car owned by P. F. Robertson, Shawinigan Lake, J. Turner, 1152 Yates, told police a flashlight was stolen from his car. A thief stole an empty wallet from the car of Eugene O'Neill, 1303 Yates.

Plans for the 1954 jubilee of the British and Foreign Bible Society will be discussed at the annual society rally in First Baptist Church, Quadra Street, tonight at 8.

Maj. T. Elwood of the Salvation Army, will be guest speaker and Rev. T. H. McAlister, chairman. A film, "Bible on the Table," will be shown.

Badly gashed after being struck in the face with a two-by-four-inch piece of lumber, Low Chew, 1629 Government, was treated at Jubilee Hospital Sunday night.

He reported he was in a fight with a man he identified as Why Gun and a second man known to him only as Dave.

Eight stitches were required to close a gash in his lower face and two more for a wound over the right eye.

Alexander Pop, Box 2078 Arbutus Road, was remanded to Thursday afternoon when he appeared at a special sitting of Saanich police court today charged with driving a car Saturday night while his ability was impaired by alcohol.

Pop was arrested following an accident on Gordon Head Road. He was released on \$250 bail.

Police said a car Pop was driving left the road and crashed into a thickly wooded area. About \$500 damage was done to the car.

Pop is also charged with failing to have a current year's driver's license.

City police admitted a cautious "we are making some progress" in their investigation into last Monday night's hit-and-run accident in which Miss Pamela Winslow, 1044 Craigdarroch, was seriously injured.

Police are seeking a taxi and driver involved in the Yates-Camosun collision and are hoping that scientific tests will aid them in solving the case.

Halkett got eloquent and uncouth. He pointed out "Overweight is the primary health problem of the world today. More than 2,000,000 Canadians are sharply reducing their life expectancy by over-eating. For the great majority of overweight persons the problem is simply one of eating more than the body needs."

Okay, boss. Observing the footnote, Halkett and I patched up the quarrel today. We relaxed the diet a trifle to mark the occasion.

Three new daily comic strips make their appearance in the Times this week.

Starting today Little Debbie will take the place of Hopalong Cassidy, and Joe Palooka will appear instead of Blade Winter in the comics section, page 25.

Bugs Bunny, the phenomenal rabbit, will make his debut on Wednesday, replacing Chris Welkin.

Victoria Daily Times

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EX-FIANCE APPEALING CASH AWARD

Car's Sea Plunge Basis of Suit

An appeal by George Spencer Elliott, 26-year-old Vancouver construction man, against \$7,759 judgment passed against him by Mr. Justice Norman Whittaker in B.C. Supreme Court, last July, 1952, came before B.C. Court of Appeal today.

The judgment against Elliott was made in favor of Eileen Patricia Eager, 22, his former fiancée, to compensate her for injuries she received on Sept. 15, 1950, when Elliott's car, in which she had been riding, plunged over the end of a wharf into Vancouver harbor.

Elliott was charged with attempted murder as the result of the incident but was acquitted in the criminal court in which he was tried.

In his judgment passed after hearing civil proceedings initiated by the incident, Mr. Justice Whittaker said "I am reluctantly compelled to the conclusion that the defendant (Elliott) intended to kill himself and the plaintiff (Miss Eager)."

CONCLUSIONS DISCUSSED
The different conclusions reached by the criminal court and Mr. Justice Whittaker were discussed at length in court of appeal today.

It was because Mr. Justice Whittaker believed Elliott had criminal intent that he released Ruby General Insurance Co. Ltd. from any responsibility in connection with the incident.

Elliott's defense was that he went over the wharf by accident.

Miss Eager claimed the wharf incident came a few hours after Elliott had threatened to drive off a wharf to commit suicide.

Evidence at the trial showed that Miss Eager had, on the night in question, broken off her engagement to Elliott.

DID NOT SLOW
She testified she had asked Elliott to drive her home but became alarmed when he drove onto a wharf and did not slow down. She jumped out of the car just before it plummeted off the end. She fell to a float and sustained broken bones and other injuries. Elliott went down with the car but swam out an open window and was rescued by a Vancouver police officer who dove into the water to save him.

Elliott's story was that he was just looking for a quiet place to park so that he could talk over the broken engagement. He said his mistakenly put his foot on the accelerator, instead of the brake, when he noticed Miss Eager attempting to get out of the car while it was in motion.



Shaman Foils Groundhogs' Strike

When groundhogs broke tradition today by striking, residents turned to native lore for word on coming of spring. Indian shaman predicted early arrival after donning "rain-scare-away" equipment and speaking to clouds above.

GROUNDHOG NOT TALKING

Wise Little Shadow Stays Out of Rain

An unprecedented strike by groundhogs today upset the whole future of Canadian agriculture and industry, whose leaders have come to rely on the little animals' weather predictions to govern their production policies each year.

According to tradition, the ground hog pops from his burrow for the first time each year on Feb. 2. If he sees his shadow, back he goes for six weeks to wait for a late spring.

If he does not see his shadow, he stays above ground because he knows an early spring is on its way.

Victoria's ground hog, interviewed far underground, said the strike today is the result of years of dissatisfaction and months of negotiation.

January Damp, Dismal Dud; Weather Record Proves It

A total of 11.53 inches of snow and rain fell here in January to put the month in second place behind the all-time wettest January of 1935, when 13.28 inches were recorded.

Normal precipitation for the month is 4.25 inches.

Rain was recorded on 27 days, to equal the "rainy day" record set in 1914.

A long-standing January low sunshine record fell when only 31.2 hours were recorded. Previous minimum was 35.1, also set in 1914.

Mean temperature for the month was 43 degrees, four above normal; the maximum, 43 degrees, was reached January 12, and the minimum, 30 degrees, occurred January 7.

Snowfall in January was only 1.1 inches instead of the usual 4.6 inches.

More rain is predicted for tonight and Tuesday, with light winds and temperatures between 42 and 50 degrees.

Milk Price Control May End in Spring

Hint of Provincial Action Brings Prospect of Lower Retail Prices

Removal of milk price controls above the producer level, possibly resulting in lower retail prices, may be ordered by the provincial government in the late spring.

This was indicated today in an announcement by Milk Board chairman E. C. Carr, who said the board is considering removing controls beyond the producer level, but that changes couldn't be instituted before May 1.

He explained that many administrative problems are involved in such a change, and it might be some time before all necessary changes in present regulations could be thoroughly analyzed and new orders made effective.

Agricultural Minister Kenneth Kiernan would not comment.

NO SESSION ACTION
Mr. Carr's announcement also ruled out the possibility that action on the long-mooted change would come at the coming session of the legislature.

The announcement came soon after Vancouver Island and lower mainland producers and distributors opposed removal of these controls in an interview with the cabinet. A delegation last Friday said such action would result in lower retail milk prices, thereby harming them financially.

But the government appears to be keeping out of the politically hot issue, although it must have approved Mr. Carr's announcement.

NO LICENSE CHANGE
Mr. Carr said there is no intention of relaxing or changing present licensing regulations—primary producers, producer-distributors, and milk dealers would continue to be required to obtain licenses from the board.

Regulations, he said, would be introduced which would require all milk dealers to establish financial responsibility which would ensure payment for all milk received from primary producers.

Other regulations governing payments to primary producers may also be necessary and "these will be worked out as the board proceeds with its work," Mr. Carr concluded.

Alberta Delegates See Gagliardi on Toll Road Scheme

An Alberta delegation, headed by Edmonton Mayor William Hawrelak, met Public Works Minister P. A. Gagliardi this afternoon to discuss the proposed toll road on the B.C. portion of the Yellowhead Highway.

The Yellowhead is a northern route from Winnipeg through Saskatchewan, Edmonton and the Yellowhead Pass to Vancouver.

Mayor Hawrelak is president of the Trans-Canada Highway System Association, Yellowhead Route.

"The association feels it should see where it can assist the B.C. government in connection with a toll road," the mayor said.

Order for the appeal was given after RCMP submitted a report on why an attempted murder charge was reduced to wounding with intent.

Pepler said the department felt the sentence was too light, and added he had not approved reduction of the charge.

The appeal order means that Ontario provincial police will have to wait until the case is finally disposed before they can transfer Seguin to stand trial on the eastern murder charge.

Turner Re-Elected Main Opposition Whip for Session

Arthur Turner, MLA for Vancouver East, was re-elected CCF whip at a pre-session CCF caucus in Victoria over the week-end.

Randolph Harding, Kaslo-Slocan, was elected chairman of the party caucus. Ernest E. Winch, Burnaby MLA, was re-elected deputy house leader.

CCF leader Harold Winch said the caucus had decided on its members for the special legislative committees on Butte Lake and redistribution, but these would not be announced until Premier Bennett announced the committees in the House.

Sailor Asks Trial in Higher Court

Frederick William Olkovich, young naval rating, reappeared in city police court today for a preliminary hearing on a charge of house-breaking with intent to commit theft.

James J. Proudfoot appeared as counsel and his request that accused's earlier election of a summary trial be changed to one by a higher court trial was granted by Magistrate H. C. Hall. He was remanded to Friday.

Olkovich is alleged to have broken into the apartment of Mrs. Juanita Jones, 1322 Blanshard, early Saturday morning with intent to commit theft.

On his first appearance in court, accused admitted breaking and entering but not with intent to commit an indictable offense.

\$200 Fine Follows Collision With House

Joseph Zanichelle, Empress Hotel, was fined \$200 in city police court today when he pleaded guilty to a charge of driving a car last Wednesday while his ability was impaired by alcohol.

Constable Richard Ward told Magistrate H. C. Hall Zanichelle's car went off the road and crashed into the corner of a house at 2750 Graham.

CHILDREN'S NEED HELD CRIME'S SEED



When he tried to sell a pistol to a Chinese in Hongkong, Norman Robins, 26, told police, was sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment. He was on leave in the British colony. He told the court he desperately needed money to help his wife, bottom picture, CWAC member during the Second World War, whose two small children are ill here. One is a victim of polio, the other has a brain injury. Robins, posing with his mother at Fort Colborne, is also a world war veteran, and his wife and children live on the navy's Belmont housing project.

Driver Loses Control, Car Snaps Pole

Douglas Arthur Spruston, Victoria, escaped with minor cuts and bruises when the car he was driving crashed out of control at Colwood corners Sunday afternoon. It was extensively damaged.

RCMP highway patrol reported the car collided with a telephone pole and snapped it off, careened across the road and crashed into a fence and fruit stand before coming to a stop.

Leonard Carl Seymour, 61, of 3056 Washington, sustained a bump on the head when he walked into the side of a car driven by James A. McMath, 128 Maddock, at Burnside and Washington late Saturday night, city police reported. Mr. Seymour was treated at Royal Jubilee Hospital.

Damage was typed as medium by city police when cars driven by Howard J. Damaske, 217 Cook, and Cecil H. Morgan, 3060 Harriet, collided at Vancouver and Pendergast at 7 p.m. Saturday.

Sailor Charged With Car Looting

Naval ratings Alfred Robert Dahlgren and Carl Asquini were scheduled to appear in Esquimalt police court this afternoon on charges pertaining to articles stolen from cars. Esquimalt police reported today.

Police said Dahlgren will appear on four counts of theft from parked cars outside HMC Dockyard early Sunday morning.

Asquini will be charged with unlawful possession of stolen articles from the cars of under the total value of \$25, they said.

ASK THE TIMES

Q.—I must a parcel post package mailed in New York State, addressed to Victoria, B.C., go to the nearest customs office in Canada? 2. Could it not be mailed to Seattle, and then to the customs office in Victoria? M.E.D.

A.—I. No. 2. Parcel post packages for Victoria, mailed in the U.S., as a matter of practice are sent through Seattle and brought to the customs office here.

Q.—What was the philosopher's stone? H.W.L.

A.—An imaginary stone, element or mixture which was once believed to have the power to transmute the base metals into gold or silver. It was sought for by the alchemists.

Anyone wishing a question answered is invited to send the question to "Ask The Times" Editor. Questions and answers will be published daily. All questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest.



Veterans of 24 Sessions

Canada's most noted father and son political team was sworn into office today. They are CCF leader Harold Winch, and his father, Ernest Winch, Burnaby MLA. They have been through 24 sessions since their election together in the depression days of 1933. The elder Winch was elected deputy to his son as House leader at a week-end CCF caucus. (Times Photo by Bill Halkett.)

LIGHTER MEALS MEAN LONGER LIFE

Rule for Diet, But Not for Wife

By TOM MERRIMAN

Okay, boss. Observing the footnote, Halkett and I patched up the quarrel today. We relaxed the diet a trifle to mark the occasion.

Halkett got eloquent and uncouth. He pointed out "Overweight is the primary health problem of the world today. More than 2,000,000 Canadians are sharply reducing their life expectancy by over-eating. For the great majority of overweight persons the problem is simply one of eating more than the body needs."

Okay, boss. Observing the footnote, Halkett and I patched up the quarrel today. We relaxed the diet a trifle to mark the occasion.

Three new daily comic strips make their appearance in the Times this week.

Starting today Little Debbie will take the place of Hopalong Cassidy, and Joe Palooka will appear instead of Blade Winter in the comics section, page 25.

Bugs Bunny, the phenomenal rabbit, will make his debut on Wednesday, replacing Chris Welkin.

It was all in that Reader's Digest you gave me and has since been missing from my desk.

DIET FOR TODAY
Lunch: Looking up a bit. Chicken today. Roast or broil it. You should get a foot rule and measure your helping so it won't be too large but you will skip that part anyway even if we do put it down. Some squash or spinach. You can snap up the salad—if it salads can be pepped up—with some endives, watercress, tomatoes and leeks. Three fresh figs or one pear is in order for desert. By this

time your wife has learned that the old reliable "one half grapefruit" is down there every time and that is what you will get.

Dinner: This you will like. Steamed haddock or bass and it doesn't say a thing about measuring it. It isn't in the book but it looks like an opportunity to mark the halfway point with a proper helping. For vegetables—the cupful, remember, zucchini. I never heard of it either but swiss chard and potatoes will do. I guess it will have to be the half grapefruit again-for-desert. In the book it says raspberries or apricots.

Crescent Comes Home For Face-Lifting Job

BY PETE LOUDON

A familiar west coast figure came home today after nearly four years' absence.

She is HMC destroyer Crescent here for a \$5,000,000 face-lifting operation.

In appearance, the ship is as deadly efficient as any of the trim grey ladies that regularly flirt through west coast waters. But ships age fast.

The modern submarine presents a challenge that must be met by constant improvement in our fleet. Meeting that challenge in Crescent means the largest job of its kind ever undertaken by a Canadian naval dockyard.

MODERN EQUIPMENT
Her conversion to a destroyer-escort vessel will see her outfitted with all the most modern anti-submarine devices and fitted to do battle with the latest types of submarines. Her 1,710 tons will be lightened by the replacement of her present superstructure with one of aluminum. Her silhouette will be higher and quite unlike any previous destroyer design except for HMCS Algonquin, whom she will closely resemble.

SIGNIFICANT SNAP?
Her decommissioning pennant, traditionally one and a half times her 367-foot length, snapped in the brisk breeze as Crescent entered dockyard waters at 11:08 a.m. The broken ribbon may signify a lengthy break in her service, but there is no break for her officers and men.

Since Jan. 9, when they left Halifax, they have had a lazy day or two at Kingston, Jamaica, Balboa on the Panama

Canal, Manzanito in Mexico and Long Beach in California.

Now they are refreshed; ready for new jobs.

Crescent's captain, young, amiable Lieut. Cmdr. J. R. Coulter, goes to Ottawa. Most of his crew will man the rejuvenated HMCS Algonquin when she recommissions in the near future.

Crescent originally came here from Clydebank builders in 1945, saw service in China waters where she evacuated Canadians from the Red-overrun mainland in 1948. She left here finally in 1949 on transfer to the east coast.

Big Business Asks Cut in Assessments

Seven large firms are represented in 65 appeals to go before the court of revision next Monday at City Hall, protesting 1953 assessments.

"Most of the appeals are from property owners protesting increases due to the equalization of assessment program," City Assessor A. G. Joyce said today.

"The equalization program will be completed this year."

Among the 64 appellants listed on the notice board at City Hall are: Central Building, Brackman-Ker Milling Co. Ltd., Woodward Stores (Victoria) Ltd., Davis Motors, W. A. Jameson Coffee Co., St. James Hotel and Mooney's Auto Body Shop.

Court of revision on assessments closed Friday. Eighty-one properties are presented in 64 appeals.

Vancouver court of revision this year closed its list with 1,025 appeals.

AGE OF GREATNESS

(Coronation Strip on Page 21)

SHOPPING GUIDE

Modern Dress Designers Improve on the Turtle

By PENNY SAVER

The turtle knows he's got something there when he crawls around with his house on his back! But not to be outdone, fashion designers have turned out the smartest daytime dress you ever saw, with little white houses all over it. This wool crepe in dark grey is styled on princess lines and buttons down the front in smoke grey.

The dress, formerly priced at \$49.50 and well worth it, is reduced for spring clearance to \$24.95.

Anyone owning all these houses should be able to afford a smoker and lamp set at \$31.95. This is really a beautiful outfit. The chromium stand has two inset ash trays on opposite sides (the kind with tip-in lids) and two inset cigarette containers with chromium removable tops.

The base is of chromium and onyx, but the most unique features are the two little goose-neck shaded lamps, which are attached to the top at table height—perfect to set between two chairs for "his" and "her" individual use. Or can't this marriage be saved?

If you want your menfolk to look crisp for spring, tell them about the sanforized shirts in a fresh-looking pin-stripe, selling for \$4.50 in one of our smart men's shops.

Striped in green, brown and an especially handsome blue on a white background, they are shown with blending ties.

If the hints dropped last year didn't get you a tartan purse, here's a chance to buy one for yourself at anywhere from \$3.95 to \$9.95, depending on how fast you get down there! Obtainable in Royal Stewart, Black Watch and McKenzie tartans, they are bound in black leather and have leather adjustable shoulder straps.

Want to save \$5.05 and at the same time wrap yourself all cozy in a scarlet flannel dressing gown? The smartly-tailored robe is now selling for \$14.95.

If you'd rather save \$12.05, see the blue rayon quilted ballerina-length housecoat. It's trimmed with black velvet collar and cuffs and black velvet buttons, giving a double-breasted effect, and is reduced to \$12.95.

Before going home with all these purchases you'd better arm yourself with a pair of swordfish book ends. They are very modern and original, depicting a gunmetal swordfish leaping from a blue-crested wave. The price is \$9.25.

AS WE LIVE

Public-Minded Citizens Urged To Investigate Nursing Homes

By ELIZABETH B. HURLOCK Ph.D.

Since I wrote a column recently about nursing homes for old people, I have received a flood of letters from readers about this matter. For the most part, these letters condemned such homes and claimed that they were not fit places to put elderly men and women. The letter below, written by a woman who signed herself, "One who likes old people," tells the side of the story that few people are familiar with:

(Q) "I worked in a nursing home for three years and had to stop working there because I could not stand watching the treatment the old people received. I read what the lady who wrote to you said about nursing homes and, from my own experience, I know what she said was true. I wish you could wake up people to the realization that most nursing homes are nightmares for old people. I hold no grudges when I say this."

(A) I hope that all who read this letter will be public-minded enough to investigate the conditions of the nursing homes in their own communities. Please see if the people who are there have proper treatment and that everything possible is done to make their last years happy.

When families make the necessary financial sacrifices to put a mother or father whose health is failing into such homes, they do so in the belief that their parents will receive the professional care what they themselves can not give.

The same holds true for homes that are maintained by state, city, or charity funds. Families naturally assume that proper care is given to the old people who live there for all seems well on visiting days. While many old people become homesick in nursing homes or hospitals, their families accept this as a necessary evil to the good care they believe their relatives are receiving away from home.

While the average person can't investigate conditions in nursing homes, they can ask their doctors and clergy to make such investigations. If conditions are found to be unsatisfactory, they can then be reported to the authorities who give such homes licenses to operate.

If you have a personal problem, write Elizabeth Hurlock in care of this newspaper.



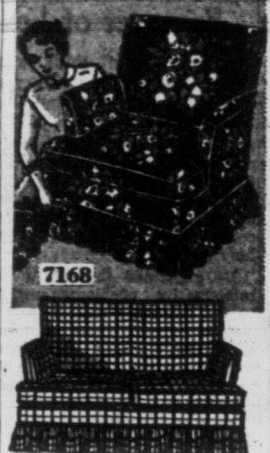
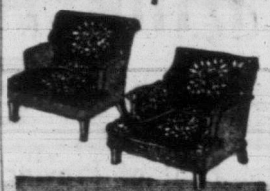
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by Alice Brooks

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TODAY'S RECIPE

SHRIMP A LA VIRGINIA

Two slices bacon, chopped; 1/2 cup finely-chopped onions; 1/2 cup tomato paste, 1 table-spoon catsup, 1 cup top milk or cream, 1 clove garlic, chopped fine; 1 teaspoon salt, 1/2 teaspoon pepper—2 cups-cooked rice, 1 1/2 cups cooked shrimp.

To make three liberal cups of fluffy rice, put 1 cup of uncooked rice, 2 cups of cold water and 1 teaspoon of salt into a 2-quart saucepan and bring to a vigorous boil. Turn the heat as low as possible. Cover saucepan with a lid and leave over this low heat for 14 minutes. Turn off the heat. Do not remove lid nor stir rice while it is cooking. After rice has cooked, remove saucepan from heat—but keep the lid on until rice actually is served.

Use exact measurements of rice and water. Time the cooking accurately. Slowly cook the bacon and onions until the onions are tender but not browned and the bacon is cooked. Add the tomato paste and catsup and mix thoroughly. Slowly add the hot milk or cream. Add the garlic, salt, pepper, rice and shrimp. Cover and cook over low heat until shrimp are thoroughly heated. Serve hot. Garnish with whole shrimp and bacon, if desired. This recipe makes 6 servings.

Don't overlook the goodness of a carrot and raisin salad during these winter months. Grate the carrot rather coarsely. If you like the raisins puffy, pump them for a few minutes in hot water. Combine the two with a mixture of crushed pineapple and mayonnaise.

WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

Neck and Shoulder Contour Improved Through Exercise

Yesterday I concentrated on height position. Continue. The elbows are straight but not stiff and the arms are relaxed. You should feel the main activity in the shoulders.

If your problem is underweight, you may want my nine-day gaining diet. If so, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope with your request for leaflet No. 41 to Josephine Lowman in care of this newspaper.

GIRL GUIDES

Greater Victoria—Activities around new Guide headquarters include instruction in first-class badge commencing tonight, Friday 30th, 6:30 p.m., at 1270 Pandora Avenue. The Sea Rangers meet Monday evening, Land Rangers, Tuesday evening. The Woodman's Badge lectures conducted by J. Druce will commence Thursday at 4 p.m. Thinking Day will be observed by all Guides in the division gathering in Memorial Hall. The service will be conducted by Dean Beattie. Donations made to the Guide hall are two teapots from Sixth East Company, tray from Third Central, and tea towels from Fourth West.

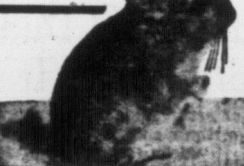
I've always been my husband's second choice

SMs: Ralph hasn't spoken to me for five days. He prefers any woman's company to mine. Only lack of money keeps him faithful.

Wife: Alice's jealousy drives me crazy. She likes to show I'm a poor provider. I'm on the edge of cracking up.

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Toronto Woman Radio Program Director, Amateurs' Model

TORONTO (CP)—Girls who cherish dreams of a career in radio should listen first to Leigh Lee. She could give them some good tips.

Mrs. Lee, whose unusual name is matched by an unusual ability, is program director of station CHUM in Toronto. Her job places her on the top rungs in private radio, and she started at the bottom.

The tall, attractive blonde is one half of a husband-and-wife team. Her husband, Robert, is manager of the station. But it would be an injustice to say Leigh got where she is on anything but her own ability. She has been tested and proven in radio's most competitive area in Canada—Toronto.

When it comes to opportunities for women in radio, Leigh says if they forget the urge to get behind a microphone, their chances will improve. She advises them to concentrate on writing, traffic and promotion work. Although there are a few women doing well as announcers, the field is still dominated

by men, and Mrs. Lee thinks women have a better chance in other fields.

As an ambitious youngster, Mrs. Lee, then 19, started in a Hamilton station looking after the record library. Even then she had her sights set on program directing, and she held fast to this course despite the advice of colleagues who urged her to give it up.

Her career had its real beginning when she joined station CKEY in Toronto. Her reputation was enhanced by excellent work on that station. Then she retired from radio for a housewife's role. But she was destined to remain in radio. The marriage didn't succeed and before long she was writing on a free-lance basis.

"But it wasn't enough to keep me eating," she said. "In 1929 she landed a promotion job with CHUM. Four days after she joined the station the liner Noranic burned in Toronto harbor, and it was then Leigh earned her spurs."

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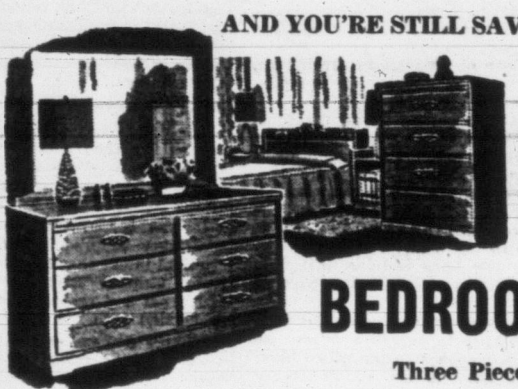
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OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Mainland Guests Arriving

Among Vancouverites coming to the capital city for opening of the Legislature and the State Ball on Tuesday evening, are Mr. and Mrs. W. Tasker Cook, who arrived today and are staying at the Empress Hotel.

Already in the city are Senator J. W. deB. Farris and Mrs. Farris and Mr. Douglas Dewar and Mrs. Dewar. They are also staying at the Empress Hotel.

For the opening of the Legislature, Mrs. Cook has chosen a soft grey imported tulle, styled on slim lines with black accessories and a black French silk hat and sables; for the State Ball, a Swiss imported gown of silver blue satin with bouffant skirt. Her jewels will be the family pearls.

Black is the choice of Mrs. Farris for both afternoon and evening. She has chosen a black crepe dress for the afternoon with a fine black straw hat accented with a winged trim in rose beige. Her ball gown is of shimmering sequins, classically styled with ruffled black chiffon outlining the hem of the skirt and the bodice.

Royal blue satin, brocaded with touches of gold and red, is choice of Mrs. Dewar for her gown for the State Ball. It is styled with fitted bodice and a graceful skirt with bustled back extending into a short train. She will wear red shoes and a gold necklace to complement the gown.

Social Calendar at Yacht Club

The month of February at Royal Victoria Yacht Club will see members enjoying an informal Valentine dance on Saturday, Feb. 14, from 9.30 to 1, with orchestra and refreshments and a cocktail party and buffet supper on Saturday, Feb. 28. Both affairs will be held in the attractive clubhouse.

Visitors From Vancouver

Mrs. S. A. McKeague, Toronto, and her daughter, Mrs. Douglas Blackett, Vancouver, were week-end visitors in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Nicolson, Joan Crescent.

Church Guild Tea

Members of St. George's Ladies Guild, Cadboro Bay, entertained members and new members of the church at a tea in the parish hall recently. The tea table was covered with a lace cloth and centred with an attractive arrangement of daffodils, plum blossoms and pussy willows, flanked by lighted green candles in silver holders. Miss Molly Turner and Mrs. H. E. Geddes received the more than 90 guests. Tea conveners were Mrs. E. McNeill, assisted by Mrs. H. T. MacGregor, Mrs. L. Kelly and Mrs. C. H. Rennie.

Dinner at Oak Bay Hotel

Members of the Quota Club gathered last Friday evening for their dinner meeting in Oak Bay Beach Hotel. Miss Hilda Harding presided and guest speaker was Dr. Olga Jardine, who told the gathering about a trip to Lebanon. Miss Florence Phillips more played pianoforte solos.

Stag Party for Young Lawyer

Twenty-five friends of Mr. J. Ronald Grant, who is to be married to Miss Terry Butterworth in Montreal on Valentine's Day, gathered last Friday evening at the Somenos Drive home of Mr. Wes Bentley, for a stag party in his honor. Later in the evening, Mr. Grant left for Vancouver on the midnight boat for a short visit. He returned to this city by plane and will leave soon for eastern Canada.

Dine Together Before Ball

Many dinner parties are being arranged prior to the State Ball at Government House on Tuesday evening. Among those entertaining at the Union Club will be Mrs. Rupert Guthrie who will have as guests, Mrs. R. L. Smyth, Brig. and Mrs. W. G. Colquhoun Brig. and Mrs. W. C. Thackray, Col. and Mrs. R. Braide, Maj. and Mrs. Alan Morikill, Mrs. Will Spencer, Mrs. Vera Powell, Mrs. C. F. Armstrong, Mrs. M. Driscoll, Mr. Jeffrey Hale, and Mr. Harry Walker.

A no host dinner party at the Union Club will be Mr. and Mrs. Norman Yarrow, Dr. and Mrs. Stuart Kenning, Dr. and Mrs. Gordon Kenning and Dr. and Mrs. Maitland Young.

Another no host party at the Union Club will be Capt. and Mrs. W. Merston, Capt. and Mrs. J. D. Prentice, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Edgell, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Holland, Mrs. Hobart Moison, Mrs. J. C. Jones of Vancouver, and Mrs. D. Hilliard.

Friends Fete Louise Martin

Victoria hostesses have entertained at several pre-bride showers to honor Miss Louise Martin, who will exchange vows with Mr. MacDonald Porter in Vancouver on Feb. 7. The popular young singer was guest of honor at a Friday evening shower given by Mrs. J. Unwin, 1842 Crescent Road. Carrying out a musical theme, the gifts were arranged in a piano bench decorated with wedding music and musical notes. Other guests were Mesdames H. Kerr, A. Unwin, H. George, W. Unwin, Lorre, D. Dunn, S. Ireland, J. White, D. Carlsen, A. Wilkinson, F. Homan, H. Simpson, S. Fraser, E. Hume, and Misses Muriel Lorre, Isabel Pears, Deirdre Hitchcox and Carol Martin.

Madame Lugin Fahy, "Stonehurst," Rockland Avenue was also a recent hostess at a shower honoring her pupil, Miss Martin. Madame Fahy's three grandchildren, John Fahy, Sherry Fahy and Gay Kellie, were principals in a mock wedding procession, which entered the room to the strains of the "Wedding March." Miss Gay Kellie, the petite "bride," presented a bouquet of pink carnations and white freesia to Miss Martin and roses to Mrs. Martin. Gifts were later wheeled into the room by "bridegroom" John Fahy. Among the guests were Mesdames W. Marm, L. Miller, B. Drysdale, L. Nash, J. Cozier, and Misses Geraldine Nash, Vivian Talbot, Isabel Pears, Gladwyn Hodge and Nancy Carmichael.

Mr. Douglas—Regular meeting of Mr. Douglas PTA will be held Wednesday evening at 8, in the school auditorium. Founders Day will be observed and the school choir under G. Brown will attend. Refreshments will be served.

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Recent Nuptial Service

Belmont United Church was scene of a wedding recently when Viola Ferne Fussey, daughter of Mrs. E. M. Fussey, Victor Street, became the bride of Albert Hamilton Gratton, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Gratton, Tahsis, B.C. Rev. M. Dobson officiated.

For her wedding the bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, Wildon Fussey, chose a gown of white nylon with sweetheart neckline and fitted bodice. Her embroidered veil cascaded from a coronet of pearls and she carried a colonial bouquet of red roses and white bebe chrysanthemums tied with satin streamers.

Mrs. A. Jewers, sister of the groom, was matron of honor, and Miss Joyce Fussey, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid.

Al Jewers was best man and Tom Saunders an usher.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Briggs, North Dairy Road. Roy Briggs proposed the toast. The couple will live in Tahsis.

OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Mrs. M. Brown entertained in her home, 3982 Cedar Hill Crossroad on Friday night in compliment to Miss Edith Brown, who will wed in February.

A lovely corsage of pale pink carnations was presented to the bride-elect and deep red roses to her mother, Mrs. M. Lee. Shower gifts were arranged informally on a table before the guest of honor. Among those attending were Mrs. M. Currier, Mrs. W. McMichael, Mrs. J. R. Rose, Mrs. H. G. Pattison, Mrs. D. Slaggett, Mrs. W. Denter, Mrs. D. Furnston, Mrs. J. Furnston and Mrs. B. Morgan.

A reception, following the symphony concert to be held on Monday, Feb. 9, will be held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. A. McElmyle, 1509 Rockland Avenue, to honor Mrs. Mary Hammond, first cellist of the symphony, who is to be soloist. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. K. English and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barclough will receive and presiding at the urns will be Mrs. Elza Mayhew and Mrs. J. Ingram Smith. Serviteurs will be members of the women's committee.

CLUB CALENDAR

Royal Roads Chapter, IOOE, annual meeting, Wednesday at 5.30 p.m., parlor, Oak Bay United Church.

Senior Woman's Auxiliary, St. Alban's Church, Wednesday at 2, at home of Mrs. R. Gardner, 3045 Doncaster Drive. Shower of articles for missionary layette. . . . St. Mark's Woman's Auxiliary and Guild, Valentine tea, Wednesday at 2.30, parish hall. Home cooking and specialty pot holders for sale.



A Month-End Wedding Day

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Long, Lotus Avenue, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Giannida "Gerry" Long, to Sub-Lieut. Erling B. Stolee, RCN, son of Rev. and Mrs. P. B. Stolee, Ambovombe, Madagascar. The marriage will take place on Feb. 27 at 8 in the chapel at HMCS Naden with Chaplain D. G. Peebles, RCN, officiating.

Helen Hunt Is Married in Quiet Afternoon Ceremony

Rev. W. Allan officiated at the nuptial service in Fairfield United Church this afternoon which united Mrs. Helen Jessop Hunt, Sproat Lake, in marriage with Francis Armour Ford, QC, Edmonton, Alta.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. F. C. Manning, Fairfield Road, and late Mr. Manning. and the groom is the son of Mr. Justice Frank Ford, Edmonton, Alta.

For her wedding, the bride wore a navy blue silk bengaline dressmaker suit with cape effect on shoulders and button trim. The coat was slightly flared over the hips. She complemented the suit with a navy blue straw hat in small bonnet shape with mother of pearl trim and touch of veil. She wore a four-skin Baum martin stole, gift of the groom, and a gardenia corsage.

Mrs. Walter Winter, Sproat Lake, was the bride's only attendant, and Bruce Massie of Edmonton, was the best man.

A. H. Jebb, Sproat Lake, proposed the toast at the reception in home of bride's mother. Daffodils, freesia and mixed spring flowers decorated the rooms and bride's table was centred with arrangement of pink tulips, freesia and iris. Mrs. Manning wore for the occasion a liberty silk two-piece suit in floral pattern with navy hat and accessories.

Upon leaving for her honeymoon in New York, Mrs. Ford wore a beige Rodex coat over her suit, trimmed with wide navy cuffs and lapels.

The couple will make their home in Edmonton.

In Victoria for the wedding ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Manning and Mr. A. H. Manning of Calgary, brothers of the bride, and her nephew, Mr. Kenneth Manning, Vancouver. They are all staying at the Empress Hotel.



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Lieutenant-Governor Names Art Centre Galleries at Reception

Dual events at the Arts Centre of Greater Victoria Sunday afternoon attracted one of the largest gatherings in the history of the new Moss Street gallery.

First of a series of Sunday recitals by "Victoria" student artists coincided with the naming by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of the three main

galleries now in operation. The affair also served to introduce February's month-long campaign to finance the centre for the ensuing five years.

In naming the main gallery "Spencer," His Honor paid tribute to Miss Sara Spencer and her family for their many philanthropies and contributions to the cultural life of the city.

The "Kearley Gallery" was named in honor of Hon. Mark Kearley, whose early start and high hopes for an arts centre have been so well realized.

The third gallery will be known as the "Massey," commemorating the official opening of the centre by His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada in October last. A replica of the golden key presented at that time to the Governor-General was presented by His Honor to Miss Spencer.

Miss Spencer responded by saying that she was delighted with the success of the Arts Centre in its new home and felt that she and her family had been more than adequately thanked for anything they had done. Tea was served to the Govern-

ment House party in an upper gallery. The tea table was centred with a bowl of daffodils and plum blossom and was presided over by Mrs. H. P. Hodges.

The musical program, first of several to be presented by pupils of the Victoria Branch, B.C. Registered Music Teachers' Association, featured three young artists. The poised and highly talented young pianists were Lorraine Brand and Carol Wootton. Clemency Perrins delighted her audience with several charming songs.

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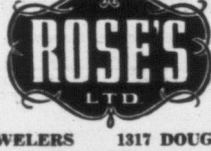


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 Oak Bay Cadet Nursing Division No. 176c, Friday at 3:45; Mrs. E. Aubel, cadet superintendent.
 Home nursing class examination, Wednesday at 7:30; Miss C. Clark, RN, instructor.
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breakfast nook, there is a utility room holding a deep freeze, washing machine, clothes drier, ironing boards, towel warmer, and heated linen cupboards. There is also a sewing machine table that can be moved to any position. Above the sink is a decorative fixture with concealed lighting, brightened by Lady Alexander's own china. The Alexanders are understood to be deeply appreciative of the gift, which gives them a kitchen probably without equal in Britain. (CP photo.)

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Arts Centre Curator Will Speak at Club

Victoria Women's Canadian Club will meet in the Empress Hotel Ballroom on Thursday at 2:45 p.m. to hear Colin D. Graham, curator, Greater Victoria Arts Centre, speak on "Where Does Canada Stand in the Arts Today?"

Mr. Graham received his education at Cambridge University and the University of California at Berkeley. He served with the Department of External Affairs in Ottawa during the war years, and later taught in the California College of Arts and Crafts, and in the California School of Fine Arts in San Francisco. Before coming to his present position as curator of the Greater Victoria Arts Centre, he was director of education at the Legion of Honor Gallery, one of three civic galleries in San Francisco.

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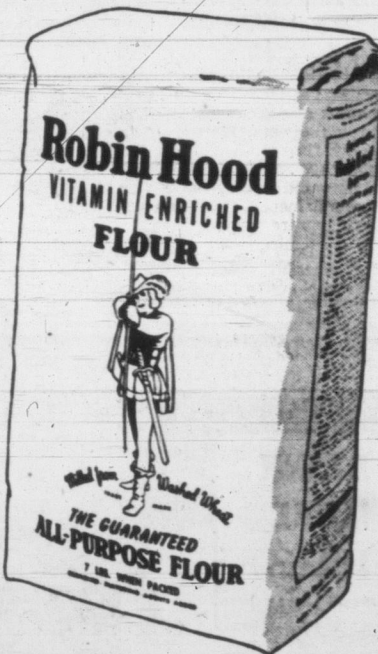
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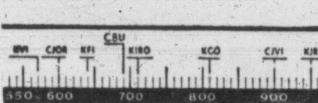
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Mildred Miller, Metropolitan opera soprano, will be featured with Howard Barlow conducting the Firestone symphony on "The Voice of Firestone" tonight on KOMO at 5:30.

Miss Miller will sing "With a Song In My Heart," by Richard Rodgers, the flower song from "Faust," by Gounod, and with the chorus, "He's Goin' Away," a mountaineer folk song; and "My Hero" from "The Chocolate Soldier," by Oscar Sturuss.

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IN TUNE WITH THE TIMES

Charlton Heston and Wanda Hendrix will be the romantic co-stars of the adventure-melodrama, "Captain Carey, U.S.A.," on Lux Radio Theatre tonight on KIRO and CBU at 6.

Heston, as Carey, is an officer who is betrayed and returns after the war to find and kill his betrayer. Miss Hendrix is his Italian sweetheart whom he believes dead, but finds married to another man.

TONIGHT'S HIGHLIGHTS: Music—De Ridder Choir on CBU at 8:15. Comedy—Arthur Godfrey razzes his "Talent Scouts" on KIRO at 8:30. Mystery—"Captain Carey, U.S.A." on Lux Radio Theatre on KIRO and CBU at 6.

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THE DOCTOR SAYS

By EDWIN JORDAN, M.D.

Heart Failure Comes to Few Victims of Rheumatic Fever

The most important heart disease of childhood is rheumatic fever. Although it does attack grown-ups, as well, it is responsible for most cases of heart trouble in children between the ages of five and 15.

In these ways a great deal of permanent heart damage may be prevented. It should be said, however, that whether ACTH or cortisone will prevent heart damage even though they do act favorably on the other signs of the disease, is not yet entirely certain.

Rheumatic fever may attack both the heart muscle itself and the inner valves of the heart. The valves which lie between the heart chambers serve an important purpose in the circulation of the blood. If they are damaged in such a way as to cause the blood to flow backward into a chamber which it is supposed to have left, the heart, of course, is subjected to extra strain.

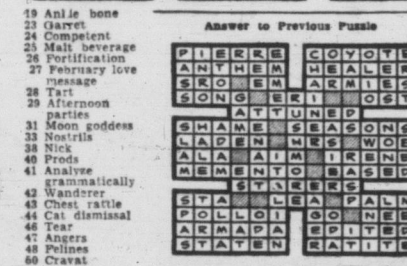
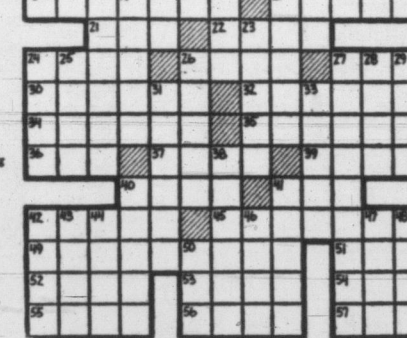
Strain of this sort may eventually produce signs of what is called heart failure. If this is noticed, the heart should be carefully examined to determine the degree or seriousness of the difficulty.

In mild cases extensive treatment may not be necessary. A reduction in the amount of exercise or exertion may be enough to bring back some reserve strength to the heart, even though this reserve is perhaps not as much as that of the normal heart.

But it should be remembered that heart failure comes to only a few victims of rheumatic fever and most get well entirely or have only little trouble.

Practically all industry in the Soviet Union is operated by organizations owned or controlled by the state.

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4. Primary-born
5. President's nickname
6. Blister
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9. More trivial
10. Cause
11. Shelter
12. Ingredient
13. Fish
14. Adam
15. Network
16. Claret
17. Stupidly
18. Bridge holding
19. Ranted
20. Italian name for Italy
21. Sea weed
22. Not clerical
23. Communist
24. Founder of Pennsylvania
25. Writing tool
26. Malicious
27. Burning
28. Severn
29. Illegal business man
30. War god
31. Wine
32. Tavern
33. Wagers
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35. Suffix
36. Worn
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Jobs Offering Keep Abreast Of Demands

Despite weather conditions which have a direct bearing on the local employment picture, the job situation here remains good.

Charles A. Mudge, manager of National Employment Service Office, said today the number of job openings listed with his bureau about kept pace with the number seeking work.

Salesmen still are being sought here, and there are openings as well for shoe repairmen, furniture packers, body and fender mechanics, radio and television technicians, and glaziers.

The number of women applying for jobs has declined in recent weeks. Stenographers and domestic workers are still in demand.

The local office has on file many openings for professional and semi-professional people in other parts of Canada. Mr. Mudge said. Defense industries and the federal government both are seeking qualified persons from professional ranks.

Charge of Theft

George Kettle, 34, of 743 Market Street, charged with theft of fishing tackle over the value of \$25, has elected speedy trial in County Court.

His trial has been set for Monday, Feb. 9. Judge Joseph B. Clearhue will hear the case. Kettle had his preliminary hearing in Saanich police court.

Jameson Motors Plan New Station

In need of more space to take care of expanding business, Jameson Motors Ltd. intends to build a large storage garage and service station on property owned by the firm at Broughton and Blanshard Streets, bordered to the south by the YWCA building.

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Total arable land in China has been estimated at about 192,000 square miles.

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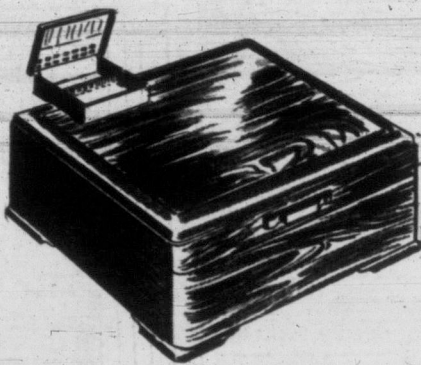
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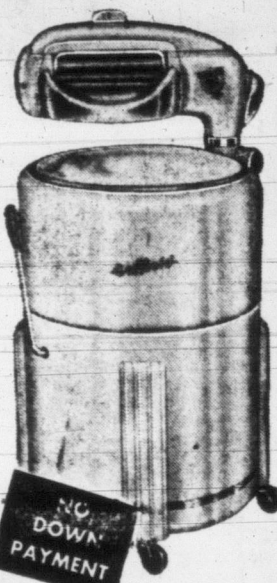
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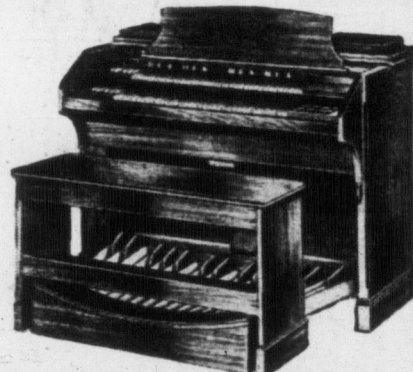
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Ike Releases Chiang Forces To Fight Reds

Cancels Truman Fleet Order, Repudiates FDR-Stalin Deals

By LYLE C. WILSON

WASHINGTON (UP) — President Eisenhower told Congress today the U.S. fleet will "no longer shield Communist China" from armed Nationalist invasion and called for repudiation of secret Roosevelt-Stalin agreements to clear the slate for a "new, positive foreign policy."

In his first State of the Union message, he also charted a "middle way" in domestic policies, proposing tax cuts at the "earliest possible" moment but not until government spending is sharply reduced and a balanced budget is in sight.

He recommended abandonment of wage-price controls which expire April 30.

Highlight of the hour-long address was his blunt announcement that he is cancelling the orders issued by former President Truman in June, 1950, under which the U.S. 7th fleet

has prevented Chinese Nationalist troops on Formosa from raiding the Red China mainland. It was his first move to step up military pressure on the Chinese Reds for peace in Korea and throughout Asia.

In another implied slap at his Democratic predecessor, Mr. Eisenhower said the United States has "incontrovertible evidence that Soviet Russia possesses atomic weapons," regardless of Mr. Truman's recently-voiced doubts on the matter.

To Extend Reciprocal Trade Act

His major legislative proposals included:

1. Extend the tariff-cutting Reciprocal Trade Act with due safeguards for domestic industries, agriculture and labor standards.
2. Grant Hawaii statehood in time to participate in the 1954 congressional elections.
3. Corrective amendment of the Taft-Hartley Act for which the Labor Department will have later recommendations.
4. Amend the McCarran-Walter Immigration Act to remove quota discrimination and injustices.
5. Extend to additional millions of persons the coverage of the Old Age and Survivors Insurance (Social Security Act)

and also encourage private pension plans.

Mr. Eisenhower's "new, positive foreign policy" was global in scope. It gave equal weight to the affairs and freedom of Europe and Asia. The President demanded real progress toward "practical unity in Western Europe" as needful "evidence to the American people that our material sacrifices in the cause of collective security are matched by essential political, economic and military accomplishments." The warning to Europe was friendly but firm.

He promised Europe continued U.S. aid, but said no single country, however strong, can defend the liberty of all.

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FINAL ★ ★ ★ ★ BULLETINS

U.S.'s Responsibility—St. Laurent

OTTAWA (CP)—Prime Minister St. Laurent said today the United States decision to withdraw the neutralizing shield of the 7th fleet from Formosa is "solely the responsibility" of the U.S. government.

He disclosed that the Canadian Embassy in Washington was informed Friday of the proposed move but was not asked to give an opinion.

Baranoff Blamed

VANCOUVER (CP)—Mr. Justice Sidney Smith today placed the entire blame for a marine collision off Nanaimo, B.C., last July 25 on the Alaska Steamship Company's passenger-freighter Baranoff.

But Mr. Justice Smith limited the claim of Greek ship Triton, which was rammed by the Baranoff, to between \$150,000 and \$200,000.

Gas, Oil Discoveries

EDMONTON (CP)—Exploratory drilling in western Canada last week brought an oil and gas discovery rate never before attained in a seven-day period. Discoveries came at a rate of one every 10 hours.

The 10 discoveries in the week included seven with crude oil and three with natural gas. Eight occurred at Alberta wildcats and two in Saskatchewan. All the gasers were in Alberta.

Seek Milk Extension

PORT ALBERT, B.C. (CP)—Port Albert and district farmers and distributors are applying for extension of milk board controls to cover this area, it was reported today.

The extension is asked to prevent surplus Fraser Valley milk from flooding the market.

Victoria May Enter Coast Puck Series

A team from Victoria may compete in the near future for the Nanaimo Free Press Trophy, emblematic of coast senior "B" hockey supremacy.

Plans for the coastal championship were considered Sunday at Nanaimo at a meeting of the Pacific Coast Amateur Hockey Association.

Tentative plans for the senior "B" playoff call for entries from Victoria, Vancouver, Nanaimo and Kerrisdale.

Victoria Commercial Hockey League secretary-treasurer Bill Oliver said today that the decision as to whether Victoria would enter the playoff would be left up to a meeting of team managers.

He said that if the league decides to enter, it would be with an all-star team picked from the four member teams.

Victorians elected to the PCAHA executive were Ivan Temple, president; W. S. Hall, secretary, and Doug Fletcher, director.

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7—Fran Dorset, Set Shot, Jim Brer.
8—Herman L., Where You At, Sirens Advance.
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10—Njolrah, Bonovina, Arpeg.
Best Bet—Edgemoor Lass.

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5—Pemmable, Physick, Rita Ziva.
6—Jerry M., Plett, Abbey, Respark.
7—Skylark, Black Hand, Ze Poppin.
8—Flash Burn, Who Goes Free, Bar-tion.
Best Bet—Flash Burn.

402 Britons Die New Tides Met

4 Million Hard Hit On Continent

AMSTERDAM (AP)—The official Dutch radio said today that it had received unconfirmed reports of the death of 70 persons at St. Laurent, in south Holland, which would boost the death toll in Holland's flood disaster to 464.

The death toll mounted rapidly as the stricken little countries mustered their resources to meet mounting dangers of disease and starvation. Search teams still were unable to contact many flooded areas.

Authorities estimated that areas populated by 4,000,000 Dutch and Belgians were flooded. Both countries proclaimed a state of emergency.

The Dutch weather bureau warned that high winds today would continue to threaten the broken dikes.

Breaching Holland's historic dikes in countless places, the floodwaters poured inland as much as 40 miles at some points.

Hardest hit were the provinces of Zeeland and Northern Brabant in southern Holland, the Frisian isle of Texel and the Island of Walcheren, at the mouth of the West Scheldt.

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FLOOD SIDELIGHTS

LONDON (AP)—Sidelights on Britain's devastating week-end flood and storm:

While a great army of troops and civilians rushed by land, sea, and air to snatch survivors from possible death in new tides, the Queen and Prime Minister Churchill acted quickly on behalf of the stricken country.

The Queen toured the stricken Norfolk area by car, talking to pitiful groups of survivors and offering her sympathy and condolence.

Churchill called an emergency cabinet meeting and ordered his government to mobilize every means for rescue and rehabilitation.

Scores of bodies, still uncounted, floated among vast seas of debris along Britain's battered east coast. The disaster almost rivalled the terror and severity of the evacuation of Dunkerque and the blitz.

Hospitals at King's Lynn and Tilbury were partially flooded and isolated but no new loss of life was reported there.

SANDRINGHAM — 500 acres of wheat belonging to the Queen was under water on the royal country estate.

LOWESTOFT, Suffolk — A policeman rowed a boat up a church aisle to rescue 40 children from the chancel steps.

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Bodies Still Float Uncounted in Debris

LONDON (CP)—The count of dead in flood-ravaged Britain, The Netherlands and Belgium passed the total of 883 today with more than 1,000,000 homeless in the wake of terrifying hurricanes.

The Netherlands was the worst hit, with the death toll at 464. It was the worst flood in The Netherlands since the 15th century.

In Britain, 402 were counted dead. Rescue workers feared the toll may mount to 1,000. Troops and volunteers battled new tides to save hundreds still marooned.

Ten persons died by flood in tiny Canvey in the Thames estuary, rescue officials said 500 persons still were unlocated and bodies floated on the floodwaters.

More than 1,000,000 terror-stricken persons were homeless or threatened by the raging seas which continued to pound inland in many flooded areas.

Holland—hardest hit of all—mustered its resources to rescue hundreds still stranded and to hold back the giant waves which swept as far as 40 miles inland. Dozens of Dutch communities were cut off or flooded out as the ancient dikes crumbled before the fury of the seas.

The mounting toll on land was added to the 132 persons drowned in the hurricane sinking of the ferry Princess Victoria off Northern Ireland Saturday, the disappearance of a trawler with 15 men off the Hebrides Sunday, and the sinking of another trawler off Belgium with loss of 10 lives.

In England, particularly, grim-faced officials feared that many more residents along the eastern coast had been swept out to sea.

The money cost of the week-end disaster—one of the worst in Europe's peacetime history—ran into uncounted millions of dollars.

On one English island alone, least 500 casualties could be expected and some 5,000 persons would have to be evacuated. Island residents clung to rooftops or trees for hours until they were saved, or fell exhausted into the turbulent waters.

Thousands of British and American service men and rescue teams worked around the clock to remove survivors. Tens of thousands were removed from coastal towns.

The flood even reached London as the Thames at low tide pushed into the streets of Putney.

Reports of horror, death and destruction came from all along the east coast. Snettisham, Norfolk, reported 20 missing and five known dead. The Suffolk resort of Felixstowe counted 17 dead.

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OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FAIR GROUNDS

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:
Manipulator 112, Merry Thought 107, Eddie's Del 111, Star 116, Sirens 108, Flaretown 109, Kewah 111, Fairam 114, Trip Up 111, Here's Why 116, Chapsa 104.
SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:
No. Waite 112, Edgemoor Lass 109, Lumens 107, Merry Zed 107, Not the End 107, Trick 118, Flying Turkey 115, Abner 112, Airmen Ring 111.
THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:
Junior Counsel 107, MacLaur 112, Desforda 114, Sherriff Grouch 116, Merry Thought 115.
FOURTH RACE—Two furlongs:
Keenon's Gal 118, Delone Night 118, Heartily 111, Condemnation 118, Karen L. 118, Radio Miss 118, Real Princess 118, Ermine Tail 118, Joyce Ann 111.
FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Shelby Lane 115, Rakerdasher 115, Ace Captain 108, Ambushed 115, W 108, Regentive 114, Brink 112, Thelma Berger 110, Buzz Up 113.
SEVENTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Delivery Boy 114, Raggy Red 107, A-Red Speed 110, Set Shot 114, Churn Sire 107, A-Vibrate 105.
EIGHTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Admiral 115, Bouncing Bern 117, Good Zenith 115, Strone Advance 113, Princess W 108, Truxton 113.
NINTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Chief Oseola 118, Mattie Girl 107, M. Alto 118, Sky Ranger 113, Good Story 115, Count Sied 118, Count Deep 112, Blue Bar 107, Camanillo 115, Var 115.
TENTH RACE—Six furlongs:
What a Patch 104, Imperial War 112, Redwings 115, Arpeg 107, Glimbling Lady 114, White-a-Bit 107, Anovas 107.

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FIRST RACE—Three furlongs:
Royal Poof 108, Dark Diana 111, A-Jura 108, Day-War 111, War Delia 111, Katsama 108, Conqueror 112, Night Fighter 115, Pious Pal 115, Chapsa 104.
SECOND RACE—Seven furlongs:
Al Domingo 115, Swamp 110, Day-Bir 115, Galgo 118, Dawn Breaker 113, Turkin 120, Ready Answer 105, Sun Deck 115.
THIRD RACE—One mile:
Defiant 114, Ida Red 107, Happy Spirit 114, Take One 108, M. Ambrose 114, Head Maid 114.
FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Tailstock 119, Program 114, Tailored Lady 108, Trail Me 108, Crown O'Glory 111, Golden Glory 109, Mike Magde 112, Skyed 112.
FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Khafai 115, Redskin 114, Pionous 118, Riala 118, Royal Grace 113, Jerry M. 116, Plett 116, Swanne's Penny 116, Skippy Toubie 111, Valquest 111, Pat's Own 120, Skylid 112.
SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Home Free 113, Lead Rye 107, Swanne's Penny 116, Skippy Toubie 111, Valquest 111, Pat's Own 120, Skylid 112.
SEVENTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Buck Hand 115, Ze Poppin 107, Valquest 111, Pat's Own 120, Skylid 112.
EIGHTH RACE—One and a sixteenth mile:
Glory Tide 120, Bardillon 114, Redskin 114, Freddy the Fox 112, Victor Knight 111, Toubie 109, Flash Burn 117.
NINTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Nass Head 114, Star Request 114, Fran Dorset 112, Mouska 114, A-Entry, Herman L. 112, Two Blockings 108, Ona Brer 117, Mary Jane G 108, Sandra S 99, Diddle Sire 115, Tangent 115, Pionous 118, Utopia Lass 113, Cupidus 119, Tramore Bay 112, Rillella 114, Insulation 100, Var 115.
TENTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Theoretobat 112, Martha Paula 105, Miss Olan 101, Redcliffe 121, Jolrah 113, Seven Pillars 118, Anovas 107.

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Ike's state o' th' union speech has thrown th' union into quite a state.

Bin readin' about them poor storm-wrecked countries. An' we thought our little rainy spell wuz a flood!

Th' House, an' 48 miles, will be open from tomorrow.

Times Opens Fund for Relief of European Flood Victims

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850 Dead, Millions Homeless As Floods Hit U.K., Lowlands

Ike Releases Chiang Forces To Fight Reds

Cancels Truman Fleet Order, Repudiates FDR-Stalin Deals

By LYLE C. WILSON

WASHINGTON (UP)—President Eisenhower told Congress today the U.S. fleet will "no longer shield Communist China" from armed nationalist invasion and called for repudiation of secret Roosevelt-Stalin agreements to leave the state for a "new, positive foreign policy."

In his first State of the Union message, he also charted a "middle way" in domestic policy, proposing tax cuts at the earliest possible moment but at the same time sharply reducing and a balanced budget in 1954.

He recommended abandonment of wage-price controls which expire April 30.

Highlight of the hour-long address was his blunt announcement that he is cancelling the orders issued by former President Truman in June, 1950, under which the U.S. 7th fleet



Chiang Freed

President Eisenhower's new orders to the 7th fleet, announced to Congress today, would allow Chinese nationalists under Gen. Chiang Kai-shek (above) to launch commando-type raids across Formosa Strait to mainland.

Previously, U.S. fleet had played neutralizing role in Formosa waters.

To Extend Reciprocal Trade Act

His major legislative proposals included:

1. Extend the tariff-cutting Reciprocal Trade Act with due safeguards for domestic industries, agriculture and labor standards.
2. Grant Hawaii statehood in time to participate in the 1954 congressional elections.
3. Corrective amendment of the Taft-Hartley Act for which Labor Department will have later recommendations.
4. Amend the McCarran-Warner Immigration Act to remove quota discrimination and injustices.
5. Extend to additional millions of persons the coverage of the Old Age and Survivors Insurance (Social Security Act).

Will Recognize No Secret Pacts

Mr. Eisenhower said he would pass a resolution "making it clear that this government recognizes no kind of commitment, no secret understanding, no pact with foreign governments which permits the enslavement of any people."

Before announcing his dramatic decision to release Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek's nationalist troops on Formosa for their harassment raids there, Mr. Eisenhower reiterated his earlier pledge to aid Republic of Korea to assume a larger share of the Korean fighting.

The language of the message was indicated and administration sources confirmed that the U.S. fleet will continue protecting Formosa from Communist invasion from the mainland. But the "neutrality pact" which Mr. Truman ordered in 1950 and a half year ago will no longer serve to bottle up the nationalist army on its island station.

Mr. Eisenhower spelled out reasons for changing instructions to the Seventh Fleet, since the 1950 orders were issued, Chinese Communists had asked United Nations forces Korea and Red China had led the Soviet Union in re-

jecting armistice proposals sponsored by India and the United Nations which had been accepted by 53 UN members and the United States.

The order had meant, in effect, Mr. Eisenhower said, that the United States Navy was serving as "a defensive arm of Communist China."

"Consequently," he continued, "there is no longer any logic or sense in a condition that requires the United States Navy to assume defensive responsibilities on behalf of the Chinese Communists, thus permitting those communists, with greater impunity, to kill our soldiers and those of our United Nations allies in Korea."

The President said direct wage-price controls have been a flop in controlling inflation and he will not ask that they be extended beyond April 30, even on a standby basis. He said decontrol will, in fact, begin even before April 30 "in an orderly manner."

The President preferred persuasion and example in seeking overall civil rights to any program of federal legislation. He assumed without qualification responsibility for assuring the loyalty of all persons in the executive branch of government and implied he would be happy if Congress left the loyalty problem to him.

39 LOST IN PLANE OVER ATLANTIC

Missing Aircraft Now Total Five

By the CANADIAN PRESS
Five aircraft with 62 persons aboard were being hunted today from bases on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts. One man is known dead in another plane crash and five others are presumed to have been drowned.

Thirty-nine persons were aboard Skyways of London four-engine York reported early today to be down in the icy North Atlantic. Winds of almost 75 miles an hour churned the ocean in the search area.

An RCAF Lancaster bomber and its nine-man crew were missing in the rocky wilderness of Labrador. Two engines failed as the bomber searched Sunday for a U.S. civilian plane and its two occupants, missing four days.

VANCOUVER (CP)—A party of expert skiers left here for nearby Mount Seymour today to investigate two unidentified objects that may be the wreckage of an RCAF Mitchell bomber missing since Thursday.

They will be guided by Roy Gunn of Vancouver, who skied the objects Saturday while skiing.

"It was at sundown," Gunn reported. "First we saw a shiny object then, to the left, we saw a greyish-white thing in a tree."

It was on the east side of the mountain about 10 miles from Vancouver.

"Three of us tried to get in there Sunday but the weather closed in on us."

Meanwhile the RCAF said only one search plane is in the air so far today. It is searching Taseta Lake area about 200 miles north of here for the RCAF Dakota missing since Wednesday with seven aboard.

When the weather clears, more planes will go up to search for the two RCAF planes and the Central B.C. Airways plane that crashed landed near Butedale, 400 miles north of here, Wednesday. Five passengers of the latter plane are still unaccounted for and are presumed drowned.

500,000 Fire

COLLINGWOOD, Ont. (BUP)—Fire that burst out of control after half the firefighters knocked off for coffee ripped through a downtown business block in this Georgian Bay ship-building centre and caused damage estimated today at \$500,000.

Four stores and two apartments above one of them were destroyed.

Seek Milk Extension

PORT ALBERNI, B.C. (CP)—Port Alberni and district farmers and distributors are applying for extension of milk board controls to cover this area, it was reported today.

The extension is asked to prevent surplus Fraser Valley milk from flooding the market.

Safecrackers Start Fire, Take \$10,000

VANCOUVER (CP)—Safecrackers escaped with \$10,000 early today from an Arbutus Street super-market.

A big safe was carted away after a terrific explosion blew a hole in a second-story office, plunging the strongbox to the main floor of the store.

"The charge of explosive not only blew a hole in the floor, but started a fire in a wash-room into which the safe fell," reported owner Dave MacFarlane.

Sacks of flour, which the safecrackers used to muffle the explosion, were used by police to extinguish the fire.

The cracksmen carefully bypassed the burglar alarm system.

4 Million Hollanders Hard Hit

AMSTERDAM (AP)—The official Dutch radio said today that it had received unconfirmed reports of the death of 70 persons at Steldendam, in south Holland, which would boost the death toll in Holland's flood disaster to 464.

The death toll mounted rapidly as the stricken little countries mustered their resources to meet mounting dangers of disease and starvation. Search teams still were unable to contact many flooded areas.

Authorities estimated that areas populated by 4,000,000 Dutch and Belgians were flooded. Both countries proclaimed a state of emergency.

The Dutch weather bureau warned that high winds today would continue to threaten the broken dikes.

Breaching Holland's historic dikes in countless places, the floodwaters poured inland as much as 40 miles at some points. Hardest hit were the provinces of Zeeland and Northern Brabant in southern Holland, the Frisian isle of Texel and the Island of Walcheren, at the mouth of the West Scheldt.

At some points the swirling floods were 30 feet deep. Farmers faced months and years of hard toil to reclaim the salt-damaged acres for agriculture.

The waters poured south into Belgium, flooding the areas of Flanders and turning the great port of Antwerp into a city of confusion. Telephones and electric light were knocked out. Ships in drydocks were overturned.

More than 50 cities and towns called for emergency aid. Emergency radio circuits cracked with a confused jumble of calls for aid.

In Graveldeel — population 5,316—55 were reported dead. To the west, the twin islands of Goeree and Over-Flakkee reported 40 casualties and asked for a big steamer to evacuate the population.

So far, 32 drowned had been reported from the islands of Zeeland province. Some of these islands still were cut off from the outside. Nord Beveland — more than 60 square miles in area — was said to be totally under water. Another Zeeland island, Schouwen — Duiveland, also was out of touch.

Thousands of Dutch and Belgians tried to plug the gaping holes in the dikes with sandbags or fought their way through the swirling, near-freezing waters seeking survivors.

Many were drowned in their homes before they could escape. Two battalions of French army engineers were dispatched to the stricken lowlands. Despite its own catastrophe across the channel, Britain's Royal Navy ordered four helicopters to Valkenburg, The Netherlands, to assist.

The government, it is understood, plans to combat the attacks by presenting a sound financial report on the state of hospital insurance under Social administration.

One of the biggest public works program in the province's history is reportedly being planned, one which will be paid for without adding to the provincial debt. How this can be done is causing extreme interest.

The government will introduce a new school taxation formula, aimed at quieting the long-standing complaint that the municipalities are carrying too much of the education load.

The government will increase the sales tax exemption on meals from 50 cents to \$1.

A new tax on the profits of logging operators and an increase in the same tax on primary mining operations is reportedly under consideration.

Government policy will be revealed on extension of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway from Squamish to Vancouver, and construction of a road from Vancouver to Squamish via the Capilano Valley.

TRAGIC STORY

LONDON (AP)—Sidelights on Britain's devastating week-end flood and storm:

SANDRINGHAM — 500 acres of wheat belonging to the Queen was under water on the royal country estate.

LOWESTOFT, Suffolk — A policeman rowed a boat up a church aisle to rescue 40 children from the chancel steps.

KING'S LYNN, Norfolk — In flooded St. Nicholas church, a church warden caught two fish near the pulpit.

HUNSTANTON, Norfolk — A bungalow with eight American airmen and their families clinging to the roof was picked up by the tide and drifted away. All were rescued.

CANVEY ISLAND — A fleet of small boats, any kind of boat, came to the rescue of 13,000 inhabitants from nearby Southend. London newspapers, remembering another evacuation, called it "a Dunkirk fleet."

FELIXSTOWE, Suffolk — Police borrowed a small boat from the "tunnel of love" at a nearby amusement park to help with rescue.

WHITSTABLE, Kent — An elderly couple standing in their kitchen sink had only their knees above water when rescuers reached them.

BEVERLEY BROOK — A 70-year-old man had slept in an old air-raid shelter for 10 years because it was quieter there than in his home. He was trapped in the shelter and drowned.

While a great army of troops and civilians rushed by land, sea, and air to snatch survivors from possible death in new tides, the Queen and Prime Minister Churchill acted quickly on behalf of the stricken country.

The Queen toured the stricken Norfolk area by car, talking to pitiful groups of survivors and offering her sympathy and condolence.

Churchill called an emergency cabinet meeting and ordered his government to mobilize every means for rescue and rehabilitation.

Scores of bodies, still uncounted, floated among vast seas of debris along Britain's battered east coast. The disaster almost rivaled the terror and severity of the evacuation of Dunkerque and the blitz.

Hospitals at King's Lynn and Thibury were partially flooded and isolated but no loss of life was reported there.

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In Britain, 385 were counted dead. Rescue workers feared the toll may mount to 4,000. Troops and volunteers battled new tides to save hundreds still marooned.

Ten persons died by flood in

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Belgium and 10 others died at sea when a Belgian trawler sank.

Damage in the three countries to farms, homes, dikes, communication and shipping was believed to run into the millions of dollars.

The disaster toll so far: Britain—Three hundred and ninety-five dead—248 in floods, 132 in the sinking of the ferry Princess Victoria and 15 in a British trawler's disappearance.

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On one English island alone,

Hundreds Stranded on Rooftops

In the Netherlands, hundreds of persons were still stranded on rooftops and in trees as today dawned bleakly over a scene of devastation unparalleled in the country's history. The death toll was expected to pass the 400 mark before nightfall.

Troops were rushed to help and those on leave were summoned back to emergency duty. The Netherlands' Queen Juliana and her 72-year-old mother, former Queen Wilhelmina, went to the flood area this morning to comfort the stricken.

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Among the 40 believed dead near Hunstanton, on the North Sea coast of Lincolnshire, were six Americans from the United States bomber base at Scunthorpe. Eight others were listed as missing.

Times Launches Fund For Europe Homeless

A citizen's fund to aid evacuees of flood-hit Britain and Holland was opened today by the Victoria Daily Times. Cash contributions for the relief of widespread distress will be received at the downtown office, 1215 Broad Street, and at the Times office at 2631 Douglas.

The citizens' fund was favored by Mayor Harrison today.

The mayor felt everyone who could should try to give something to victims of "this terrific disaster." He likened the need to that of the Winnipeg flood of two years ago.

Mayor Fred Hume of Vancouver said refugees of the Holland flood could count on Vancouver for financial aid for rehabilitation. He plans to set up a fund-raising committee.

LONDON (CP)—British Columbia today sent six food parcels to flooded King's Lynn in Norfolk as a first expression of Canadian sympathy.

Budget on Feb. 19

OTTAWA (CP)—Finance Minister Abbott announced today he will bring down the budget Thursday, Feb. 19.

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